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EASTERN NEWS.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.

The Weather in the Western States

[illegible], April 9.—The weather the past three days [illegible] cold throughout the West, and [illegible] south as Little Rock. The snow fell to-day in [illegible] Ohio to the depth of five inches. At Cairo [illegible] and was white with snow. At Little Rock [illegible] cold and rain prevailed. Great fears are en[illegible] for the safety of the fruit crop.

Hanged for Murder.

[illegible], April 10.—Lowenstein, convicted [illegible] murder of a peddler last fall, was hanged at [illegible] afternoon, protesting his innocence.

[illegible] Boiler Explosion—On a Historic Vessel this Time.

[illegible], April 10.—A dispatch from St. Johns [illegible] says the steamer Tigress, of the Po[illegible] expedition, while seal fishing, exploded her [illegible]. Two officers and twenty of her crew were [illegible].

The New Overland Freight Coalition.

[illegible] of the Panama Union Pacific and [illegible] Mail, held a meeting yesterday and outlined [illegible] proposed agreement. The Union Pacific Di[illegible] the rates of freight on tea to be [illegible] to the former standard of [illegible] cents per pound [illegible] by the Pacific Mail and Panama [illegible], who think there is more money in carry[illegible] at 4 cents a pound, as by that rate traffic [illegible].

WASHINGTON CITY.

Railroad Legislation

WASHINGTON, April 9.—Houghton has been an[illegible] by the House Committee on Pacific Rail[illegible] bill requiring the Union Pacific [illegible] the bridge across the Missouri [illegible] at Omaha as part of its continuous line of [illegible]. This bill is designed to put a stop to the pres[illegible] charges for freight and passengers exacted [illegible] transferring them across the river by this bridge. [illegible] dollars per car is now charged for bridge tolls [illegible] such inconvenience is occasioned to passen[illegible] them to change cars.

[illegible] of Columbia Investigation.

[illegible], April 10.—In the District investiga[illegible] [illegible] Evans was examined to prove [illegible] of a contract awarded to him for paving [illegible], which was subsequently awarded to [illegible] at Philadelphia, who was said [illegible] to be President of the Middle Key Paving Company. The object of the memo [illegible] to prove that Bingham sublet and sold [illegible] and that the Governor gave the work [illegible] personal attention. [illegible] Collins testified that his partner (Jones) [illegible] him a contract for paving two streets one [illegible] and he was surprised because he had [illegible] application for contracts. Jones told [illegible] proprietor of the National Repub[illegible] of this city had given them and that Mur[illegible] half of the profits and asked him [illegible] to furnish any means. He said he did [illegible] Jones and Collins built the new Republican [illegible]. This claim for an interest [illegible] for alleged influence in securing it [illegible] under the contract because Col[illegible] refused to recognize the claim of Murtagh.

[illegible] Developments in the Infamous Moiety Business.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—In the Sanborn investi[illegible] to-day Judge, Chief of Special Agents of [illegible] connection with the [illegible], which, it appears, was to detect smug[illegible] Canada and Boston. Witness ap[illegible] A. [illegible] Fay, a friend of Sanborn, special [illegible] in Europe, paying him $3,000 and expenses [illegible] account of undervaluation of im[illegible] through Fay's investigation [illegible] were suits for some $800,000 pending. He [illegible] in the cases [illegible] after which seemed to be a new [illegible] committee. He also admitted [illegible] book, which is supposed to contain a [illegible] employees, did not contain [illegible] because Fay did not want it known [illegible] in the secret service.

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[illegible] of Another of the Tich[illegible]

[illegible] trial of Jean Luie for per[illegible].

[illegible] of Jean Luie and Capt. Brown.

LONDON, April 10.—Jean Luie was convicted this morning of perjury in the Tichborne trial. Captain Brown, for a similar offense, is now on [illegible]. Captain Brown, witness for the claimant in the [illegible] trial, was found guilty. He and Luie [illegible] to five and seven years penal servi[illegible].

Intrigue to Humble Bismarck.

[illegible] April 10.—A Berlin dispatch to the Daily [illegible] represents that conservatives and ultramon[illegible] actively intriguing to supplant Bismarck [illegible] General Manteufel.

A Contradiction.

[illegible] April 10.—The report telegraphed hence [illegible] conservative and ultramontane intrigue to [illegible] by Manteufel is wholly un[illegible].

[illegible] of a Steam Boiler—Fearful Loss of Life.

[illegible] April 10—5 A. M.—A steam boiler in a [illegible] at Hamilton, near Glasgow, exploded yester[illegible] with terrible effect. A large portion of the boil[illegible] driven several hundred feet through the air [illegible] crashed into a school house. Three children [illegible] killed. Thirty others are reported [illegible] injured.

On a Strike.

[illegible] thousand colliers are on a strike in Somer[illegible].

Miscellaneous News.

[illegible] opened several Achteen ports to [illegible]. John [illegible] resigned the Attorney Gen[illegible] in [illegible] of illness and Sir Richard [illegible] him.

CANADA.

[illegible], April 9.—The excitement concerning [illegible]. It is now believed that [illegible] will not take his seat, and submit himself to ex[illegible].

WHAT TAXPAYERS WOULD LIKE TO KNOW

[illegible] understood that James M. [illegible], Esq., present incumbent of the Sher[illegible] of Multnomah county, is a candidate [illegible] re-election, and will interest himself in the Republican county primaries for that object. It would be very pertinent for him to inform [illegible] taxpayers as to the truth of the following [illegible] regard to his stewardship:

First—Did you, in the fall of 1872, assist by [illegible] or influence with other Sheriffs and [illegible] west of the Cascades, to [illegible] the Legislature "An act to [illegible] the fee bill of 1870," by which [illegible] doubled, and in some instances [illegible] beyond the legal compensation per[illegible] to the Sheriff's office when you were [illegible]?

Second—Is it true that the aggregate receipts of your office have equaled above $20,000 per [illegible] your term as Sheriff and tax [illegible], clearing about $8,000 in the latter [illegible], and regular monthly charges against the county of from $600 to $900 in addition to the civil and other ministerial business of the courts?

Third—As the county assessment roll show [illegible] pay only $42 24 State and county [illegible], and return only $250 cash on hand, are you not investing the avails of your office out of the State, and keeping yourself aloof from the permanent interests of our city and county?

Respectfully propounded by a

REPUBLICAN TAXPAYER.

THE SUMNER MEMORIAL.—A Boston dispatch of March 25th, says:

A majority of the committees on the Sumner Memorial have reported the following, which was adopted:

[illegible] That we recommend that a statue [illegible] structure to embrace a statue of Charles Sumner be erected in Boston.

A minority report suggested the erection of a Sumner School of Art, the land to be d[illegible] by the State, but it was thought the large expense it would involve might jeopard the memorial.

THE RHODE ISLAND LEGISLATURE INVADED.—A dispatch from Providence, March 26, says: Two or three score of Christian women visited the State House to-day, remaining in the Rep[illegible] hall while a member presented [illegible] memorial for the repeal of the liquor [illegible] law. Afterward eight of the ladies vis[illegible] two lager-beer saloons, where they ex[illegible] the proprietors to give up the business [illegible] without effect, and offered up prayer in [illegible] place. The movement was not gener[illegible] anticipated, but created very little sensa[illegible].

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

(BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.)

CALIFORNIA.

From San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—At last accounts this morning Maxey was alive. He has added to his former statement one that he and Caldwell had quarreled about a girl the latter was to marry, during which quarrel Maxey had called her hard names. They finally stopped the dispute, bade each other good night and went to sleep. The next he knew he was shot and then Caldwell shot himself. The general belief seems to be, however, that Maxey did the shooting.

Greenbacks 88[illegible].

There were slight showers of rain here last night. To-day cloudy and warm with prospects of more rain.

The temperance crusaders have divided the city into fifteen districts for the distribution of pledges.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—A young man named Johnson, residing with his parents, was fatally poisoned to-day by eating a quantity of green paint.

Belcher paid its dividend of $520,000.

Captain Lambert will sail on the Arizona for Panama to-morrow, and will proceed thence to South America to deliver to Harry Meiggs the pardon granted him by the Legislature.

Since the first of last January, there have been in this city ninety-one deaths from accidents and violence. Several included were sudden deaths from disease.

Maxey, survivor of the Fourth street tragedy, was taken to the hospital this afternoon, but his condition is not as favorable for recovery.

Ah Wah, Chinaman, was arrested this evening for assaulting one of his countrymen with a deadly weapon to murder him.

The steamer Arizona takes the place of the disabled steamer Colima to Panama.

The nomination of B. P. Avery meets with the unanimous endorsement of the principal merchants and business men of the city, who await the action of the Senate on the matter of his confirmation with anxious interest. Mr. Avery is confined to his house at present by illness.

Interior California.

SACRAMENTO, April 10.—Philip Cote and Domingo Estrado, the murderers of the sailor, Jno. Kruse, were this morning taken before Judge Cantwell in the police court. An immense crowd filled the court room and halls with a hope of catching a sight of the prisoners. The defendants stated that they had no counsel and the examination was put off till Monday morning to enable them to obtain such.

JUBILANT TACOMA.

A CORRESPONDENT TELLS HOW A GREAT CITY IS TO BE BUILDED—TOWN LOTS AT A HIGH FIGURE—OTHER MATTERS OF INTEREST.

TACOMA, April 4, 1874.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

We have had glorious weather for the past month—real May days—but our enjoyment of them is dampened by the fear of a "heavy wet" in the months of May and June, which all of us look for as a thing certain to come in compensation for the present.

Business is very quiet, but there is considerable being done in clearing off lots and erecting dwellings in the old town. The long delay of the Company in putting their lots on the market, has forced many to purchase lots in the old town. Starr Bros. offered their lots for sale in the old town a few days ago at prices ranging from two to three hundred dollars each, and they went so rapidly that they have already raised the prices considerably on the remainder. The terms were made very easy to persons who would make improvements. I have no doubt that the Company have good reason for the delay in putting their lots in the market, but it has occasioned great inconvenience to a number of persons who have come here for the purpose of settling, and who being unable to purchase lots when they wanted them have gone away, while others have been obliged to buy when they did not want to so as to get shelter for their families. It is expected that the Company will offer their property for sale in a few days. Mr. Hibbard, Land Agent for the Northern Pacific Railroad, and who has charge of the Tacoma town site, is expected at Portland on the steamer which is now on her way from San Francisco, and as soon as he arrives here, he will probably place the lots in the market. A large number of lots have already been selected and a number of buildings will be commenced as soon as the parties can get a title. A wealthy gentleman in the Atlantic States, who spent two months at this place last fall and who is expected here in a few days, has selected four lots, and will erect a large hotel on them.

The Company have had a large force of men for several weeks past grading and graveling several of the principal avenues. The principal—and in fact the only—objection which is raised to the Company's town site is the elevation above the water. It is rather an advantage than otherwise, and will, with a large population—taking the surroundings into consideration—be the most charming feature of the place. There are few persons who can realize the beauty which lies in the rough block of marble until they see it after it has passed through the hands of a Powers, and I think it is so with town sites, especially if they belong to the Northern Pacific railroad.

The place is now approached from the depot, which is on the Bay, by an avenue of nearly two thousand feet in length, having a very easy grade, being about five feet to the hundred. The present depot will be used for all freights leaving and arriving by water except grain and coal. For the accommodation of the town and for the shipment of grain and coal they will build a side track, commencing at a point on the main track about a mile from the present depot and run it on the plateau on which the town will stand, building a passenger and freight depot at a convenient place and carrying the track to a point on the side of the bluff above and near their present depot, where they will erect warehouses for the storage of coal and grain, when it can be shot into the hold of a vessel with very little expense.

The steamer Olympia, a magnificent steamer which formerly run on the Sound, is expected here in a short time and will run on a daily line in connection with the Nellie [illegible], between this place and Victoria. The Alida will probably run daily between here and Olympia. The new contractor for carrying the mail between Seattle and Bellingham Bay will as soon as the present service expires extend the route to Tacoma. At the same time the mail steamer which now runs between Portland and Alaska will I understand run from Tacoma to Alaska.

When we get our proposed line of steamers to San Francisco (to say nothing of the steamer running between China and San Francisco calling in here to receive discharge freight for Oregon and Washington Territory) we expect to be happy and look down with metropolitan complacency on all such interior villages as Portland. The China steamers is not so improbable as a majority of people may think. One of the China lines proposed to come into Victoria for a subsidy of $100,000 per year and a strong effort is being made to raise the amount. Should they succeed, they would probably come to this place to receive their cargo for China, as it is well known that the bulk of the freight to China is Oregon flour, and it can be shipped to this place cheaper than it can be shipped to San Francisco, and it will save the carrying by the steamer over 600 miles of the route.

The Vice President of the Northern Pacific railroad, accompanied by several of the Directors and one or two heavy capitalists from the East, is expected here soon. They are expected to inaugurate enterprises which will make things 'bile' here.

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NOW OR NEVER.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

The tide is coming in. The citizen is coming up. The railroad king is fast losing his prerogatives of sovereignty. Illinois, Iowa, Ohio, Wisconsin, California are seizing their rights from the hands of the usurper. Railroads, like ferries, gristmills, tollroads and other improvements for the use of the public, are being made to take their proper place as subjects and not masters of the people.

THE [illegible] COURTS

Of some of the States and of the United States have lately decided that railroads cannot by skillful manipulation of legislators, or otherwise, however treacherously, acquire vested rights to run their roads unrestricted by subsequent legislation. That the control of railroads belongs to the people through their Legislature and is an inalienable attribute of their sovereignty. That no one Legislature can pass laws or give rights to corporations that belong to the sovereignty of the people, which a succeeding Legislature cannot repudiate and renounce, rights which the people cannot resume.

THE SOVEREIGNTY OF THE PEOPLE

Is by law inviolable. But of what avail is the law when a dominant part of the politicians and Legislature of a State is owned by the railroad power and will not enact the law? Bills for the government of railroads in Oregon have been drawn and presented by patriotic members, but they go under the table or out of doors. Now is the time if the people but will it. They can now elect men who will free them from the crushing and corrupting power of railroad monopoly.

NOW IS THE TIME

For Oregon to strike hands with her sister States of the West, and secure the profits of her farming industry to her own people, instead of being robbed of her just rights by the middleman and the carrier. Now is the time to seize that political position and pass those laws that shall secure to the farmer one dollar and a quarter per bushel for his wheat, instead of five bits, as in the days when he was a quiet grazier instead of as now, an unquiet Granger.

OH, BUT, SAY THE OLD PARTIES,

Don't you see we have made sacrifices for you; we have put some of your planks in our platforms and have even nominated some of your Granger men on our tickets. Now don't be unreasonable and claim all the offices. Mr. Grover's party says: It is true, we passed an odious school book law and attempted to enforce it by shutting you off from your share of the school taxes, that yourselves had paid in, unless you first bought our books, and we passed an infernal litigant act to help keep up newspapers that could not live without it, and done several other acts that we don't know how to get along with, but don't turn us out of our good offices—don't!

The Republican party says: It is true that for several years Mr. Holladay has run us in his interest. He spent tens of thousands of dollars in helping us to get the offices after Jo Smith had secured the State to the Democracy, for which we cheerfully gave him the United States Senator and graciously refrained from passing any law to regulate his railroad fares and freights.

FOR, DON'T YOU SEE, MR. INDEPENDENT,

If a maximum rate of freights and fares were fixed upon his railroad how could Mr. Holladay afford to spend $40,000 or $50,000 in overturning the political complexion of a State, in buying and bribing corruptible or impecunious legislators to elect his own man to the U. S. Senate, in giving railroad and steamboat excursions and parties to members and minions, in keeping up the proper line of demarkation and distinction between a railroad king and the people by building and running a President's car and having a telegraph line from the king's residence to the legislative hall? How could Mr. Holladay do all this if we allowed a reasonable freight and fare limit over him, so that after one of these expenditures he could not go into his office and raise the price of freight on wheat two, three or five cents a bushel and thus get the money back from off the farmer? Don't disturb us, Mr. Independent, please don't. We have put men on our ticket that we can run though we would much rather have had Dolph, Caples or Cornelius. But let us alone now and we will still get away with considerable of Mr. Holladay's money, and upon honor—if we have any honor—we will recommend caution in his expenditures so that wheat shall not again go below five bits a bushel. The farmers can live on that and we can't live without Ben and free rates.

MAXIMUM RATES

Will wrap the winding sheet around the Republican party in Oregon, and it is not a good year for Tax or Toll men in Oregon for Governors. Let the people trot their independent nags next Wednesday. Let their very natures be anti-monopoly, maximum rates, honesty and capacity and $1 25 per bushel for the wheat crop of 1874. Truly yours, &c.

G. W. LAWSON.

PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY.

At a meeting of Lafayette Grange No. 2, P. of H., April 4th, it was resolved to hold a May Day basket picnic in the grove near St. Joseph on May 1st prox., in which all members of the order are cordially invited to participate. The following committee of arrangements was appointed: D. Smith, J. A. Crawford, C. F. Royal, Mrs. S. C. Carey, Mrs. Jesse Yocum. The following were appointed a committee to procure speakers: N. H. Olds, J. Martin, J. D. Fenton.

The following are recent decisions in relation to the laws governing Granges: 1. Granges must be opened in the degree in which it is intended to work, it being irregular to open in a low degree and work up the degree intended to be conferred. 2. A member of another Grange cannot be admitted unless he can work in, even if he be known. The provision of the rule is express: "No one can vouch for a member of another Grange." 3. The Overseer should see and know that no one approaches the Master's office without coming up the law[illegible]. 4. The State Grange of Indiana has decided that to be eligible to membership an applicant must rely more upon the products of his farm for his income than upon those of any other occupation. 5. There is no reason for keeping constitution and by-laws out of the hands of outsiders. 6. The County Council in Michigan has formally resolved that it should be considered sufficient cause for expulsion where a Patron willfully reveals or in any way makes known to any person not a Patron the name or place of business of the firm or manufacturer or individual with whom the said committee have business relations which should be kept secret.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA INVESTIGATION.—A dispatch from Washington, April 3, says: In the District investigation to-day, Colonel Wright testified to excessive overcharge made by the District government for improvements on certain streets and avenues, both in prices and measurement. In Louisiana Avenue they charged for 4,000 yards more than it actually measured. Governor Shepherd explained that this charge was made to cover work done by the old corporation, which had never been paid for. Archibald stated that condemned material was employed for improvement of the Seventh street road and excessive charges had been levied for the work. Richards, late District Auditor, stated that a year ago he received from the Board of Public Works a statement and bills for work alleged to have been performed for the old corporation. Many of those claims were for work where the original contracts were annulled or changed. He did not think that that class of bills should be paid from the sinking fund. He had finally paid $379,000, $940,000 less than the amount presented.

HOW HARRY MEIGGS [illegible]

Now that the Legislature of California has invited Harry Meiggs to return to the State whence he fled twenty years ago a thief and fugitive from justice, the story of his abrupt departure as it was told by a new paper of that day is worth reading. The following article, taken from the California Daily Democratic State Journal, is reprinted by the author, who is now one of the editors of the Sacramento Bee.

The further developments of the immense frauds perpetrated on the people of San Francisco by these pharisaical—for Henry, it is said, has been a professor of religion—and accomplished swindlers are astounding. The frauds they have committed are supposed to amount to two and one half millions. Warrants on the treasury of San Francisco have been forged to the amount of $1,000,000. Stock of the California Lumber Co., of which he was President, to the amount of $500,000 has been forged—the signatures of different business houses to notes for over $50,000 have been forged. Henry failed in the amount of $800,000 and owes many bills here and there which will probably make up the aggregate of two and a half millions.

In his operation he was shrewd. Protected from suspicion by a name which he had acquired for honesty and upright dealing—a man of great business capacity, as the sequel proves, and engaged in many large enterprises connected with the improvement and advancement of San Francisco, he lulled distrust and covered his tracks with such subtlety that a sleuth hound financier could not have discovered his retreat. He took all classes and conditions within his ravenous maw. From the highest to the lowest, the rich and the poor, the washerwoman, the banker and the millionaire, he paid his respects to all—none were too small for his accommodating genius, none too great for his practice. From the bankers he borrowed money by giving forged Controller's warrants on the city as collateral security to double the amount, and even offered to pledge them at twenty-five cents on the dollar. From others he raised money on forged notes on business firms, and from clerks he borrowed on his word or own note.

And his exodus was as remarkable, [illegible] and talented as were his operations. Like the children of Israel, he left after having borrowed shekels of gold and of silver without suspicion. When the Pharaoh pursued, the wheels of their chariot ceased to revolve, and although the sea did not overwhelm them they were forced by adverse circumstances to give up the chase and return in despair. He purchased his vessel, got her cleared by his faithful captain for "ports in the Pacific," but listed her with the spoils of a city equal in their extent to those of many nations in former days, gathered his family and friends around him and went "down to the sea" unmolested, laughing at his dupes. He left his family mansion as it was, with its carpets and paintings and pencilings and curtains, with its ottomans and its tete-a-tetes and golden dishes and birds of bright plumage, with its servants unpaid perhaps, and its wines and its oils and spices, on a family excursion to San Mateo, as he said, but to far off lands, as his creditors say. He went in his yacht provisioned for a two years voyage with the fat of the land, and adorned like the barge of a royal conqueror. He went prepared for war or peace, with his brass guns on board and munitions of war in amplest store. He went prepared to conquer or purchase a kingdom. And all this at the expense of the business men of San Francisco. He has levied his tribute like a Prince—has lavished it like a Sultan—has departed like a victor as he is, and is now on his winged courser dancing over the bright waters of the Pacific in search of new pleasures, or it may be on a friendly visit to those who wield a Midas scepter among the Aborigines of Hindostan. Truly he is a great man, and there are those who would freely forfeit all they have lost to have possession of his highness' person. But

"Nets are for thrushes,
Eagles are not caught so."

But it is not the loss they so much regret as how they lost it. To be deceived, humbugged and cheated out of solid gold to their very face, is too much for human nature to bear philosophically. It would enrage a Socrates.

But still he is a poor wanderer on the face of the great deep, an outcast on the earth with the brand of Cain upon his brow. He can have no peace, his evil deeds will haunt him wherever he may go. He will be shunned by society wherever he is known until he will try to shun himself. With all his ill gotten wealth he will find that the way of the transgressor is hard.

Meiggs has lived to see the "brand of Cain" removed from his brow by the Legislature of a great State. Instead of being shunned by society he is courted by his victims.

Having set this precedent, why can't the people of California call the blood hounds of the law from the track of Tiburcio Vasquez? Is not he an 'Argonaut'?

FIRE AT LA GRANDE

A special of the 10th inst. from La Grande says: About 12 o'clock last night the citizens of this place were startled from their slumbers by the unusual cry of fire, which proceeded from the brewery establishment of Henry Striker, Esq. In a few minutes the streets of the town were filled with people in a state of wild terror and excitement, many of them but half clad, who had rushed out of their homes at the first alarm. La Grande, like most of the interior towns of Oregon, had neglected to provide the proper apparatus to meet such an emergency, and was obliged to depend wholly upon the weak resources of water buckets. But with a hearty will the citizens brought into requisition every vessel that would hold water, and forming long lines did their utmost to stay the progress of the flames. The fire, however, had by this time gained too much headway to be checked by such means as were at hand, and hardly had a bucket reached the brewery before it was one mass of flames, entirely beyond control. About this time the walls of the brewery fell with a loud crash, and there being a high wind, the flames and burning cinders were carried to the Sommers and Baer buildings occupied by Bloch and Sommers, which, despite the almost superhuman efforts of the citizens—who by this time had their arrangements for passing water along the lines perfected—soon were a mass of burning ruins. Here the scene beggars description. With the fall of the latter building the efforts of the citizens, who up to that time had strong hopes of checking if not entirely subduing the fire, seemed paralyzed. The wind at this time was blowing a gale, and with lightning like rapidity the fiery element licked up everything in its path, only stopping when there was no more to burn. An entire block comprising the principal business portion of the town was entirely consumed. The loss is estimated at $55,000. The following is a list of the heaviest losers by the fire: Bloch and Sommers, merchant; Henry Striker, brewer; A. Dray, tailor; H. B. Glover, harness maker; Tom O'Brien, hotel keeper; Postoffice; M. E. Church building; J. S. McComas, land office. There were innumerable small losses, which in many instances will cause suffering.

THE MISSOURI OUTLAWS.—A dispatch from St. Louis of March 24th says Governor Woods has sent a message to the Legislature yesterday, calling attention to the fact that a band of outlaws exist in the State who rob and murder with impunity; that he has no adequate power or means to bring the desperadoes to justice, and asking that proper legislation be had at once.

FERNANDO.—The leadership of the House about which the newspapers are giving themselves needless trouble is succinctly explained in the Cincinnati Commercial. This is the way it puts the case: "Mr. Fernando Wood asserts, successfully upon the whole, the leadership of the Democratic party in the House. He is almost as great and good a man as the Republican leader, Ben Butler."

OREGON.

Harrisburg school district elected James P. [illegible] Director and James Riley, Clerk.

The temperance ladies of McMinnville talk of opening a crusade on the saloon at Lafayette.

Mrs. Bridgefarmer of Albany had her connubial shackles knocked off by Judge Bonham last week.

Circuit Court will begin at Lafayette next Monday, the [illegible]th inst. There are 18 civil cases on the docket.

At the school meeting in Lafayette Hon. A. J. Burbank was re-elected one of the directors, and H. Hurley clerk.

There are more old men in Brownsville in proportion to the population than in any other town on the coast.

A younker of Albany is happy because he understands the price of gingerbread is to be reduced to five cents a hunk.

Three persons were baptized into the Episcopal Church by Rev. Mr. Summers on Sunday, the 5th inst., at McMinnville.

The editor of the Democrat counted over 100 plows running along the roadside between Harrisburg and Brownsville.

School begun at the Lafayette Academy on Monday, the 6th inst., under the management of Prof. Royal, late of Cornelius.

Uncle Billy Cochran, of Brownsville, has a veteran horse nearly thirty years old. Mr. C. brought this ancient equine across the plains twenty-five years ago.

Capt. J. D. Miller and C. P. Church have bought the steamer Onward, which has for some time been running on the Tualatin, and brought her out in the Willamette.

The Independents of Clackamas county hold a mass convention in Oregon City to-day for the purpose of selecting delegates to the State Convention which meets in Salem next Wednesday.

A little son of B. F. Lewis, near Lafayette, aged about six years, fell from a wagon on Tuesday evening, and one of the hind wheels run over him, bruising his hips badly. It is feared that the little fellow has received severe internal injuries.

Mr. Taylor will commence work on the bridge across the South Yamhill on the 20th of the present month, if the water is sufficiently low to permit. Work on the bridge across the river at McMinnville will commence about the first of June.

The town of McMinnville now contains five temperance organizations, namely: The Alliance, the Guards, the Good Templars, the Independent Champions of the Red Cross and the Champions of the Red Cross. Each of these has its own secret work and each has a good number of members.

Three young men engaged by Capt. Miller to assist in bringing the Onward out of the Tualatin attempted to cross that river one evening last week, and a line which was stretched across the river caught their boat and caused it to upset. They all managed to get on a log and remained there until next morning about [illegible] o'clock. They had a good appetite and were nearly frozen when rescued by Capt. Miller.

During the present session of the Oregon State Presbytery, held at Eugene City, the following appointments were made for the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church of Salem during the absence of Rev. W. H. Stewart, the Commissioner to the General Assembly: 1st Sabbath in April, Rev. J. R. Thompson; 2d, Rev. J. Rea; 3d, Rev. Dr. Lindsley; 4th, Rev. Mr. Hanna; 1st Sabbath in May, Rev. Mr. Robe; 2d, Rev. Dr. Geary; 3d, Rev. D. K. Nesbit.

The Yamhill County Bible Society met in the M. E. Church at McMinnville, Oregon, April 5, 1874, and elected the following officers: Rev. Neill Johnson, President; Prof. Mark Bailey, Vice President; Rev. John Spencer, Secretary; Mr. Thos. Pettigrew, Treasurer; Mrs. Prof. Robb, Mrs. Prof. Bailey, and Mrs. Dr. Johnson were elected an Executive Committee. Rev. P. R. Hetzler, the Bible Agent, then delivered an address, detailing the plans of the American Bible Society as to the work on this coast, and the meeting adjourned sine die.

On Easter Monday the ladies of the Episcopal Church at Oregon City, pursuant to a call from the Rector, met for the purpose of organizing a society to be called "The Women's Guild of St. Paul's Church." The following officers were elected and committees appointed: Rev. John W. Sellwood, President ex officio; Mrs. F. V. Smith, Vice-President; Mrs. J. W. Sellwood, Sec.; Mrs. E. D. Kelly, Treas. Committees—On Entertainments, etc., for the Church, Mrs. H. Cochran, Mrs. A. Noltner, Miss LaForest. On Visiting and Work for the Poor, Mrs. F. V. Smith, Mrs. S. Lovejoy, Mrs. Charles Bray.

The annual meeting of St. Paul's Parish, Oregon City, was held last Monday evening at the church, and called to order by the Rector, Rev. J. W. Sellwood. After reading the Treasurer's report for the past year, the election for seven Vestrymen was had and resulted in the selection of the following gentlemen: Messrs. John Myers, H. L. Kelly, Reuben Smith, A. Noltner, Frank H. West, R. Caufield and Hiram Cochran. Immediately after the adjournment of the Parish meeting, the newly elected Vestry met and elected the following officers: Senior Warden, H. L. Kelly; Junior Warden, John Myers; Secretary, A. Noltner; Treasurer, John Myers.

The Albany Democrat says: Robt. Constable, who was last week arrested in Jackson county and brought back to this city by Deputy Sheriff John Parker on a charge of having more wives than the law allows, was last Saturday arraigned before Judge Bonham and plead guilty, alleging as an excuse for his crime that he had been led to believe that his first wife was dead, whereas he has recently learned that she is in a house of ill fame in Portland. His Honor taking into consideration these mitigating circumstances, imposed a fine of $400 and costs upon the defendant, all of which was promptly paid and the overly married man discharged.

The Board of Trustees of Willamette University have resolved to reorganize its Medical Department for the purpose of securing more efficiency and usefulness in the management of its finances and by requiring such a thorough instruction of its pupils as to materially raise the standard of medical attainments requisite for graduation. A committee of five of the Board of Trustees was appointed at a recent meeting of the Board—to prepare and report a plan—and that this committee might be unembarrassed in its important work—the Board of Trustees passed a resolution requesting all the Professors of the Medical Department to resign.

The following appears in the annual report of the Superintendent of Schools for Linn county: Whole number of persons over 4 and under 20 in 1874, [illegible]; in 1873, 4 470; number of males over 4 and under 20, 2 341; females, 2 19[illegible]; number of legal voters, 2 1[illegible]5; average daily attendance in county, 2 1[illegible]; average number months taught in all districts, [illegible]77; average wages paid male teachers per month, $42 54; female, $29 63; number persons of school age attending private schools, 1[illegible]4; number persons of school age attending no school, 98[illegible]; whole amount district tax levied in county, $2079 80; whole amount State fund distributed in 1874, $8,710 47; whole amount county funds distributed in 1874, $10,[illegible] 98; whole amount money raised by rate bill and subscription, $[illegible]600 00; whole amount money raised from unspecified sources, $80[illegible] 61; whole amount paid teachers, $7[illegible]972 3[illegible]; whole amount paid for repairing school houses, sites, etc., $4,537 20; whole amount incidental expenses, $72[illegible]1; Balance public funds on hand in all districts, $4,490 64. Whole number school houses, 71. Total value school houses, $29 390; total value of school libraries, $79 03; total value of maps, charts, etc., $190; total value of other school property, $956 50.

The quartz teams at Silver City are hauling ore from the Oro Fino Mountain in the night time so as to enable them to get over the snow when it is frozen.

THE TERRITORIES

The Salt Lake Tribune says: "The Tweed robbers came to grief and their disgrace and humiliation are before the world. There are some public officials in Salt Lake who may have a similar experience."

The Dakota division of the Northern Pacific Railroad is probably already opened and in operation. Mr. Mead, General Freight Agent, expected to run the first freight through to Bismarck this spring by the 10th ult.

The Walla Walla Real Estate Gazette is informed that in Stevens, Whitman and Yakima counties the farmers are very busy in preparing the ground for the spring crops. Much more ground will be seeded this year than there was last and the prospects are flattering at present for a large yield.

A Montana paper says some of the braves that have passed through town on their return from the buffalo hunting ground during the past week, have triumphantly displayed the scalps of some of their mortal enemies, perhaps the Blackfeet, which they have lifted during the winter. Let 'em fight. It is an excellent way to settle the Indian question.

Mr. O. S. Salisbury, who was recently at Corinne, states that a report was current there to the effect that the Utah Northern Railroad had changed ownership, passing from Mr. Young's hands to Mr. Richardson, the wealthy English capitalist, who has furnished the iron and rolling stock for the line. This change it is thought looks to the extension of the road northward to Montana if inducements sufficiently favorable in this direction are held out to the project.

The Port Townsend Argus says: "A difficulty occurred on board the ship Arkwright on Saturday, the 28th ult., off Cape Flattery, on her trip from San Francisco to Nanaimo, between the second officer, Charles Lewis, and one of the seamen, Thomas Kirby, and on the arrival of the ship in this port the officer was arrested and brought before U. S. Commissioner Burns on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon with intent to kill Kirby. C. M. Bradshaw, Esq., appeared for the prosecution, and Messrs. Hall & Smith for the defense. After a careful investigation of the whole affair, extending through two whole days, the prisoner was held to bail in the sum of $500 to answer in the District Court for assault and battery. Three witnesses were also detained. In default of bail the prisoner and witnesses were committed to jail."

The owner of the fast horse, Tom Merry, of Seattle, in a letter of the 7th inst. says: "I see in your valuable paper that Mr. Ladd, of Grand Ronde Valley, has sent a banter to Mr. Pinkham that he will run Trifle against Emma McCormick for $1,000 a side. I wish to propose to the parties that I wish to put my horse, Tom Merry, in the race, both horses to run to rule, with an entrance of $1,000 each, and leave it open to any horse north of California, to run on any track that will add the most money. Seattle will give $1,000. I think a race of this kind, run in August or September next, would fill with four or five entries, and with a $1,000 added by some. The proprietor of a good track would make a nice stake for the lucky one. I, for one, will enter with full weights up or with catches in a mile and repeat the race, or 3 in 5 miles heats, or single dash of 2 miles or 2 miles and repeat. Owners of blooded stock will surely invest."

General Butler is supposed to have been called 'an unprincipled person' in the House yesterday. Representative Pierce of Massachusetts introduced a resolution, directing that the telegraphic instruments in the Capitol be so protected that unprincipled persons should not be able to secure private dispatches as they were going forward. Everybody knew at whom this was leveled, but does Gen. Butler pretend to be a principled person?—N. Y. Times, March 24.

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As follows:

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Portland	7 45 A. M.	Roseburg	8 25 P. M.
Roseburg	4 30 A. M.	Portland	5 00 P. M.

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LEAVE		ARRIVE	
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J. BRANDT Jr., Gen'l Supt.
E. P. ROGERS, Gen'l Freight and Passenger Agent.

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To take Effect Monday, March 30th, 1874, at 6 A. M.

Daily Trains will run between

PORTLAND AND ST. JOSEPH

AS FOLLOWS

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Portland	[illegible] P. M.	St. Joseph	[illegible]00 P. M.
St. Joseph	[illegible] A. M.	Portland	10 00 A. M.

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J. W. SPRAGUE,
General Superintendent.
H. W. FAIRWEATHER,
Gen'l Freight and Ticket Agent.
Kalama, Jan. 28, 1874.

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The Daily Oregonian.

SATURDAY MORNING APRIL 11, 1874.

PERSONAL QUALIFICATIONS

The ring convention if we are to take the utterances of the *Bulletin* for a reflection of the ideas of that body must have thought that any farmer was a suitable man for Governor The *Bulletin* flounders through nearly a column, repeating over and over again, in different ways that Tolman is a farmer and therefore is just the man for the times That is as much as the ring managers are able to understand of the sentiments of the people The corruptions and frauds practiced in politics, and the oppressions of the people in consequence thereof, have become intolerable, and the demand for relief has taken the form of a demand for an exchange of the self-seeking and corrupt politicians for honest, frugal men who would serve the commonwealth faithfully and not mercenarily And it has been said that in order to have the most efficient service the agricultural classes must be fully represented But being a farmer is not the sole qualification for a Governor There are plenty of good farmers who would make very poor Governors, and some who would make very good ones. To which of these classes Mr Tolman belongs the world will never know

A man is not necessarily honest because he is a farmer, nor dishonest because he is a lawyer or politician Sumner was a politician, and the "flood gates of calumny" were never opened on him, nor was there ever a taint of corruption about his character, Donnelly is a farmer, if one can judge from the hay seed he is reported to have on his clothes and nobody presumes to speak of him as a pure man And the illustrations might be multiplied *ad libitum* So that it is not being a farmer or a lawyer or politician, that proves a man honest or dishonest If Tolman possessed the qualifications requisite for a good Governor, his being a farmer would be a recommendation to him Since he does not possess them, his being a farmer can not compensate for the lack of them It is of less consequence what a man's pursuit is (provided always it is a lawful and honorable one) than what are his personal and known character and his peculiar qualifications for the office for which he may be nominated The test, after all is one of peculiar fitness, not of vocation

FAINT PRAISE

Here is the kind of send-off the *Bulletin*, ring organ, gives Carey Johnson, ring candidate for Judge of this District

> Hon W C Johnson candidate for Judge in the Fourth District is too well known to need any introduction to the people through the press or any commendation from any quarter He possesses fair legal ability his probity has never been called in question, he is a Republican of strong convictions, though he has never been an extreme partisan he is industrious and attentive to business, and will make a conscientious and painstaking magistrate We hope to see him elected by a flattering majority

"Possesses fair legal ability" This is just the least thing that could be said of a candidate for the Supreme Bench by the organ of the party that nominated him Under the circumstances it is not a recommendation, but an apology It is exactly equivalent to saying, "Well since the man is nominated, we must do the best we can for him" But the *Bulletin* says truly that Carey is a man of "fair" ability We do not use the term in just the same sense as the *Bulletin*

But the next remark, "that his probity has never been called in question," is not true His probity has been, and that recently, called in question in a most serious matter, and many people call it in question at this time We are not among these, and do not wish to be set down among them, and refer to the subject only because of the broad and incorrect statement of the ring paper We said personally to Mr Johnson, some time since, more than we have said through the OREGONIAN and probably as much as we shall say in the canvass, but we are not disposed to allow a statement so general as this to go forth for the benefit of the ring candidate, unless it is true

But the coldest thing in the *Bulletin's* faint praise is the remark that Carey will make a good "magistrate" We should think he would A judge, when acting as a "magistrate," is simply a justice of the peace, There is another definition of the word but this is the ordinary one We should think Johnson would pray to be delivered from his friends, unless he has made up his mind that the ring paper has so far lost its influence among respectable people as to be incapable of harming him

Dr Porteous, an English divine of some repute has been rebuked by the Episcopal bishop of New York, for lecturing on English and American humor in the *pulpits of churches* not consecrated according to the Prayer Book His license has been revoked, and he is informed that until he repents and asks forgiveness for the heinous iniquity above recited he may not be recognized as an Episcopal clergyman In Brooklyn and New York the English divine has made many warm friends by his ungodly discourse These have organized a new congregation, to be known as the Church of All Souls Dr Porteous declares his intention to preach the word of God wherever he can get two or three together A warm discussion has sprung from the action of the bishop

Rev I E Ives pastor of a church in Auburn, New York is said to be the most successful clerical beggar (not to put too fine a point on it) in America. He has entered into the business of clearing churches from debt on dedication days just as a Federal newspaper enters into the peanut business but with much better success He points to seven hundred churches as trophies of his prowess. *Among* these the one which affords him most gratification is Brooklyn Tabernacle from which by prayer song and well told stories he lifted a debt of $30 000 in two hours

Fitz Hugh Lee, of Virginia pants for reconstruction He has petitioned Congress for removal of the political disabilities now by law imposed on him, in order that he may be restored to all the rights enjoyed by any other citizen of a common country His petition sets forth that he graduated at West Point In 1856 served on the Texan frontier and twice published by General Scott in general orders for conduct in battle and was severely wounded in an encounter with Indians At the time of his resignation (1861) he was on duty as instructor of cavalry at West Point

CIVIL SERVICE IN THE PENSION OFFICE

The answer of Gen Baker, Commissioner of Pensions to the charges brought *against* him by Mrs Helen M Barnard, has already been alluded to in these columns The reply contains numerous specific statements bearing on the condition of our Civil Service which it is hardly full to attract the attention of Mr Dorman B Eaton Gen Baker declares that certain clerks who had been discharged from the Pension Office have banded together to destroy his reputation And in support of this he brings forward the history of his accusers as connected with the civil service

Mrs Barnard the only drone in the Pension hive was appointed to a clerkship in the Fifth Auditor's office in 1869, and was dismissed therefrom in the same year for general worthlessness and mischief making" One would suppose that an indictment of this kind could hardly serve to commend her petition for a second appointment to the judgment of a vigilant officer But Gen Baker seems to have needed a female with rare facilities for "mischief making" and so sometime in 1871 dame Barnard was appointed to the post of copyist in the Pension Office "She never reported to the office for duty, moans the Commissioner and when an order requiring her to appear was served on her she disregarded it And so, for two years dame Barnard 'waxed fat and kicked' During all this time she occupied a seat in the reporter's gallery of the House and in one thing was punctual—she drew her pay with unfailing regularity As to the value of her services the Commissioner says "Her whole work in the two years consisted of 10 sheets of 80 names each so carelessly done as to be worthless" Concerning Mrs B's service under the National Republican Committee during the Presidential campaign of 1872 and while she was drawing a salary for work never performed, we shall say nothing Suffice it that she was discharged, and that she went forth and floodgated Gen Baker

Col Robert J Hinton ranks next in malice The Colonel is not wholly unknown to fame He has written a book—several books Commissioner Baker says that Hinton drew pay as a Clerk for some thing like three years that he appeared only when his salary fell due, and that 'while he was on the pay roll of the Pension Bureau he was also Secretary at Washington of the National Republican Committee during the campaign of 1872 and was engaged in writing editorials for country newspapers, in franking documents, etc." In reply to these charges Colonel Hinton has made an affidavit, from which we quote the following pungent paragraph

> He was placed on the rolls of the aforesaid Pension Office as a temporary clerk at a salary of $1 200 on account of political and clerical services he was rendering as Secretary of the Republican Resident Executive Committee during the whole of the State election of 1871 and throughout the last Presidential campaign, that the placing of his name on such rolls was against his own judgment and inclination * * * * * that it was done, according to the best of his knowledge and belief with the knowledge and consent of the Secretary of the Interior and through the efforts of James M Edmunds, Senator Chandler and ex Secretary Harlan and that at the time of the deponent's name being so placed the fact was very well known to the active Republican managers residing in the city including the aforesaid Commissioner (Baker) himself

It is evident that $100 per month will purchase Mr Hinton's silence on any disreputable affair of which he has any knowledge And he says in substance, that if anybody is blameworthy it is Harlan or Chandler or Edmunds or all of them He believed it was wrong but they wanted him to do it We are sorry for these things because Hinton is a newspaper man and is expected to practise better morals than the average member of Congress believes in We hope that mysterious body of men known as the Civil Service Commission will enter the inviting field opened up to them by the petulancy of Gen Baker Helen M Barnard *et al*

General Grant wants to be a Granger says a correspondent He is looking for a quiet little farm in Maryland or Virginia, not a dozen miles from the national capital His tastes are rural says this Bohemian and he would like nothing better than a place of his own to which he could retire for a day or two whenever he felt like it We are informed by another Jenkins who has closely scrutinized the President's disposition that he is very fond of the country and this is one reason for his long visits to Long Branch in the summer' General Babcock (who ought to know) says Mr Grant's St Louis farm is worth one million dollars and its value is constantly rising so that all things considered, the President may be said to have put his salary where it could do the most good

The conviction of Jean Luie and Captain Brown following closely on the incarceration of the Tichborne claimant and the refusal of the Government to grant a new trial shows that the Crown is desirous of making an end of the *cause celebre* Jean Luie according to his own story the steward of the vessel from which the real Sir Roger was lost Capt Brown was taken from the United States to England at the expense of the British Government All the leading actors in the remarkable drama were lifted from poverty to affluence Now they disappear behind the walls of Newgate and only the holders of Tichborne bonds are interested in the reappearance

By consulting the OREGONIAN this morning Sheriff Caywood can find some pleasantries in way of queries which our correspondent sends to him. Mr Caywood might answer with propriety We do not wish to be considered officious but, really it occurs to us that those conundrums are of such a nature that the public might find considerable entertainment in perusing the ... replies to them

It is said that the disclosure of the bargain and sale of the office of State Printer to which we referred yesterday has demoralized the parties to the arrangement and that they are now hesitating, whether to go on or back out Watt, & C

The leading manufacturers of St Louis have organized an association for the purpose of protecting themselves against adverse legislation The Missouri Legislature threatens to pass a revenue bill which imposes an unusual tax on their manufactures

We advise people to keep a sharp look a... Dave Powell is prowling around the city a good deal lately

This from the *Evening News* for instance The Ring organ thinks there was a resemblance between the editorial remarks on the Ring ticket which appeared in the OREGONIAN and *News* There is possibly something in this but then a peck of small potatoes don't admit of any great variety in description

MEETING OF THE DISTRICT CONVENTION

[illegible] April 18 [illegible]

At a meeting of the [illegible] held the 1st day of March 1874 the following resolution was unanimously adopted

[illegible] That the Nominating [illegible] of the people of this county together with similar committees to be sent from the other counties of the Fourth Judicial District meet in Portland on [illegible] April [illegible] at 11 A M for the purpose of nominating a District Judge and District Attorney for the Fourth Judicial District The basis of apportionment suggested will be one delegate for each [illegible] vote cast for Wilson and [illegible] and one for each fraction [illegible] On this basis the respective counties will be entitled to the following representation

Clatsop	4
Columbia	3
Clackamas	10
Multnomah	44
Washington	7

The other counties forming this District are earnestly invited to send their delegation as above and when it is inconvenient to forward the delegation to attend it is suggested that those attending be authorized by their respective counties to cast the entire vote to which the county may be entitled

In pursuance of the above resolution the said Convention will meet at the time therein named at [illegible] Hall armoric Hall in Portland All delegates to said Convention are requested to be present

GEO WOODWARD Sec'y

BORN.

At Kalama April 6 to the wife of Thos Hewitt, conductor on the N P R R a daughter Eastern papers please copy

DIED:

In this city April 10 Clara Louisa daughter of Henry and Mary I Potter aged 2 months [illegible] days

NEW TO-DAY.

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apl1dtf C M CARTER

Multnomah Engine Co No. 2—Special meeting this SATURDAY EVENING at 7 o'clock By order of President

B I NORDEN Sec'y

First Hebrew Benevolent Association—Annual meeting and election of officers at the Synagogue Beth Israel on Sunday April 12, 1874 at 1½ o'clock P M

td LEHMAN BLUM Rec Sec'y

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTnership heretofore existing between Jas Laidlaw and Henry J Gate under the firm name of Laidlaw & Gate was dissolved by mutual consent on the 28th day of February 1874

JAMES LAIDLAW
HENRY J GATE

Referring to the above notice I beg to state that the business of Commission Merchants will be continued by the undersigned under the original firm name of James Laidlaw & Co

JAMES LAIDLAW

Portland 11th April 1874

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UP IN A BALLOON.—M'lle Gaugain, the well known *danseuse* was a passenger in the balloon which went up from Woodard's Garden on the 5th inst. The balloon collapsed soon after the ascension when about 400 feet from the earth. The S F *Call* contains a long account, from which we condense the following:

Up into the air the balloon flew until 400 feet up a quick sharp but slight report was heard followed by a tearing of silk. The balloonists looked upward, and saw the whole center of the balloon exposed while the lower half was flapping around in ribbons. "Look out the balloon has burst" shouted M'lle Gaugain and our reporter in unison. All clung tightly to the ropes and sides of the basket. The words had hardly been spoken when in less than a flash, what was left of the balloon was dashed to the ground at an angle of about forty five degrees and at a terrible velocity. The suspense was almost momentary for with a thud which almost crushed the basket it was dashed against the ground about a quarter of a mile from the spot where the anchor had been left. The concussion was terrific, and the two ladies and five gentlemen were thrown together in a mass. Not a word was spoken by the ladies or any one in the car as they almost stared death in the face. The basket was immediately capsized as soon as it touched the ground and it completely covered the occupants. The lower portion of the balloon by this time was in ribbons and as the upper portion formed a parachute it dragged the car along the ground at fearful speed under which the struggling occupants rolled along the ground without any possible chance of freeing themselves from the basket or the ropes, the former covering them as with a box and the latter preventing any possible chance of the party dropping out. On over the ground the car was dragged for a distance of three hundred yards the voyagers with it and coming in contact with the land at every bump of the balloon. The inmates of the Alameda County Hospital, where the balloon struck, ran toward it to render assistance and about forty willing hands caught hold of the long rope attached to the basket. The balloon after a few ineffectual tugs, at length settled down, after doing all the damage it could. The basket was immediately righted, and it was with difficulty that the voyagers could be extricated from their entangled positions. The *Call* reporter after having revolved around the remainder of the party during the dragging, occupying the lower part several times, finally turned up on top at the point of stoppage and after disengaging himself from the ropes he was hauled out by several men clear of the basket. He immediately returned and proceeded to the aid of the others who were mixed up with the ropes. Up to this time not a word had been spoken by any of the party. M'lle Gaugain was lying on the ground with the edge of the basket across her neck while the heavy ring was on Mr Buisley's arm which was every minute in danger of being broken by the heavy weight. After considerable trouble all were extricated and a silent prayer went up from each for safe deliverance.

VISITING SALOONS.—With zeal and determination unabated the ladies still continue to visit the saloons of the city and to sing and pray. Yesterday was the fourteenth day since the crusaders inaugurated an open warfare against the traffic in this city and still the contest is waged with undimmed ardor, and a purpose unshaken. It was thought that after the arrest of the fifteen ladies and the consequent excitement the crusaders would probably desist from further efforts. But such is not the case. On the contrary, the opposition appears to have nerved them up to renewed action. Every day since the arrest and subsequent discharge, the ladies have made their visits the same as before. No opposition worthy of mention has been encountered, and courteous treatment and respectful attention has uniformly been accorded them. Twelve or fifteen ladies were out yesterday as usual. All the wholesale liquor establishments of the city were visited in the course of the day. When how and where this present crusade is to end are problems which time alone can solve. Meetings are held almost every night in the Taylor street church and are attended by [illegible]. Public interest does not appear to lag [illegible] augment—in this great movement.

TWO DAYS' VACATION.—Two days' vacation have been allowed the teachers and pupils connected with the public schools of the city. This vacation included Thursday and Friday of the present week. The brief respite thus allowed from the daily routine of study was devoted to basket picnics and ramblings in the woods. On Thursday the teachers and pupils of the Harrison Street school ascended to the summit of Robinson Hill and spent the greater portion of the day in a very agreeable manner. At the close of the second term of the public school it is customary to give a week's vacation. If that period was granted the third term would extend beyond the 4th of July, which is not desired. Some inquiries have been made as to the reason why the two days vacation was granted and we adopt this method of answering all queries and settling questions.

CAPTURED.—Johnny Dougherty who was one of the thieves that stole a watch on Thursday afternoon, and made his escape when chased by the officer was subsequently captured and lodged in jail. He told the same old story when brought in Police Court yesterday morning—he was innocent, McMillan his accomplice, having stolen the watch and when closely pressed had thrown it one side. Dougherty is an old—or rather young—offender, he having been arrested twice before and fined—one time for stealing pigeons and another for purloining lead pipe. In both instances he was sentenced to the County Jail a period of days. Very judiciously the Court regarded Dougherty's protestations of innocence as too transparent, and sentenced the young man to the County Jail for thirty days.

SAILED.—Yesterday at 2 o'clock the steamer *Oriflamme* sailed from this port for San Francisco. She carried away the following passengers: W L Halsey and wife, Mrs Keyes and sister, Wm Kenedy and wife, Mrs W P Stevenson and infant, Miss L V Sayier, I I Adams, James Morehead, Louis Armstrong, J A Crawford, Dr Richard Sanford, A Stewart, Mrs Medhurst, Mrs Meyers, Mrs A A Wheelers, M Hess, L S Billard, Mrs D Burrows, Too Farn, Ah Gung, I S Skiff, Geo Brittell, R W Moore, Philip Hale, J Milwain, F E Peak, J S Taylor, E M Taylor and wife, C C Hogue, James Carr, E P Reynolds, G B Frumple, L S Leffingwell, J B Vollmer, O P Vollmer, Mrs Vollmer and 30 in steerage.

MEETING LAST EVENING.—The Taylor street church was crowded last evening with temperance people. On that occasion ex Governor Gibbs, in response to an invitation addressed the meeting at some length. He discussed the legal features of the present temperance movement in which he took strong ground in favor of a prohibitory liquor law. To prove his grounds, the speaker quoted from a number of authorities (being the decisions from the Court of Appeals of New York and the Supreme Court of the United States, and made out a very forcible and logical argument in favor of the position assumed. His remarks were well received. The meeting was an interesting one.

TAKEN ILL.—The *Enterprise* says: Mr Henry Warren was taken ill last Saturday and on Monday it was apparent that he had the varioloid, in a very mild form. We learn that it has not been severe enough to compel him to retire to his bed and that he is now nearly well. There are no signs of any others taking it, and as it is now over two weeks since the time any were exposed to Charles Warren there is scarcely any probability that there will be another case. The attack on the elder Mr Warren is hardly severe enough to be called contagious and we have no doubt but that this will be the last case if the utmost caution is exercised by the health committee.

MORE NEW MUSIC.—Mr Beintz of Gray's Music Store has laid upon our table the following new music just issued: "Happy Hours," by Henry Maylath; "Promise Me Dearest, You will not Drink Again," music and words by J W Wheeler; "Curfew Bell," words by H W Longfellow, music by E J Finck; "The Wind's Warning," music by Lou Dinsmore, words by F H Clayton; "There's Room for Me the Angels Say" (answer to "Make Room for Another Little Child in Heaven") music and words by J W Wheeler; "Church Going" by H Hutchins.

DISTRICT CONVENTION.—This morning at 11 o'clock the District Convention will meet at Philharmonic Hall in pursuance of a resolution passed at the meeting of the Nominating Committee held on the 21st ult. The object of the Convention will be to place in nomination a District Judge and District Attorney for the Fourth Judicial District. The basis of apportionment will be one delegate for each 75 votes cast for Wilson and Burnett in 1873 and one additional delegate for each fraction of [illegible] or over. On this basis the respective counties will be entitled to the following representation: Clatsop [illegible], Columbia 4, Clackamas 20, Multnomah 44, Washington 1[illegible]. The counties comprising this District are invited to send their delegations as above, and where it is inconvenient for one entire delegation to attend it is suggested by the Committee that those attending be authorized by their respective counties to cast the entire vote to which the County may be entitled.

BRUTAL ASSAULT.—Shortly after 10 o'clock Thursday evening, as Miss Terry accompanied by Mrs [illegible] an old lady were proceeding to their home and while passing the corner of Alder and Eighth streets a man stepped out from the shade of a tree and tripped Miss Terry throwing her heavily upon her back. Loud screams from her companion caused the brute to quickly disappear from the scene and at the same time brought the assistance of several persons who kindly cared for the injured lady. The perpetrator of the brutal assault had managed to get beyond reach and we feel certain had he been caught he would have met his just deserts. The injuries sustained by the lady are said to be quite severe and may result in confining her to the house for some time. We trust the rascal will be brought to justice.

REMAINS SENT AWAY.—By the steamer which sailed hence yesterday afternoon the remains of the defunct Too Goon who departed this life some time ago were forwarded to San Francisco. From that place the body will be shipped directly to the flowery land, for final interment in its native soil. The body is in an excellent state of preservation having undergone the embalming process. It is securely inclosed in an iron casket and surrounded with a layer of charcoal, over this is placed a zinc coffin, hermetically sealed. Several inches of sawdust is packed around the zinc and the whole enclosed in a strong, wooden box.

A GOOD DAY'S WORK.—One of the best day's work in the sodding line which has been accomplished for a long time was done in this city yesterday by a German named Rudolph Zispel. Commencing at the usual hour in the morning he cut 900 feet of sod, and laid down 900 feet more. This at 20 cents a yard would amount to $20. He quit work at 6 o'clock in the evening. Should any one doubt that the work was well done they can see for themselves at the corner of Fourth and Salmon streets. Who can beat count the above day's work.

APPOINTED.—At the special meeting of the Philomathean Society held last evening it was decided to accept the challenge of the Alka Society of Salem. A Committee consisting of Messrs S W Rice, D W Taylor and W H Adams were selected to enter into debate with an equal number of the Alka society at Salem on Saturday May 16th. The question has not been settled upon.

WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the U S Signal Station of Observation, Portland Oregon April 10, 1874:

	7 A M	2 P M	9 P M
Thermometer	4[illegible]°	5[illegible]°	47°
Wind direction	S	S W	N
velocity miles pr hour	10	12	2
Weather	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Rainfall			0 1 inches

RATIFICATION MEETING.—The Republicans of this city will hold a mass meeting at the Court House this evening for the purpose of ratifying the proceedings of the late State Convention. Speakers are announced for the occasion and bonfires, rockets and music occupy the interlude.

PUBLIC INSTALLATION.—There will be a public installation of the officers of the Grand Encampment of Champions of the Red Cross at Good Templars' Hall, corner of Third and Alder streets, at 7 30 o'clock this evening, together with other exercises.

PROGRESS CLUB.—There will be a special meeting of the Club this evening at 8 o'clock to make arrangement for the annual ball and such other business as may come up. The annual meeting and election will be held Monday evening May 4th.

TEMPERANCE MEETINGS.—There will be two Union Temperance meetings held in this city next Sunday evening. The Taylor Street M E Church and the Presbyterian Church will be open for these services. Platform exercises at each place.

MEETING THIS EVENING.—The Union Temperance meeting in the Taylor street M E Church this evening will be in charge of the ladies, the President of the Temperance Prayer League will conduct the exercises. All are invited.

REPORTED SUICIDE.—At a very late hour last evening we learned that a man named C Brown committed suicide yesterday afternoon at Vancouver. We were unable to learn any particulars whatever of the affair.

I O G T.—The members of Multnomah Lodge No 12 I O G T will please to notice that they are requested to be at the Lodge room at 6.30 o'clock this evening. By request of the W C T.

UNION TEMPERANCE MEETINGS.—On Sunday evening there will be meetings for the discussion of Temperance Topics at both the Methodist and Presbyterian churches.

SPECIAL MEETING.—There will be a special meeting of Multnomah No 2 this evening at 7 o'clock.

CARD OF THANKS

To the public of Portland for its generous patronage Mr G L DeFrans for his untiring [illegible] management of the concert as musical director and the gentlemen amateurs musicians and Mr Carl Bosco, I desire to tender my heartfelt thanks for their valuable aid on the occasion of my recent benefit concert in Masonic Hall nor can I refrain from acknowledging the debt of gratitude I owe the gentlemen of the press and the ladies of Portland who kindly undertook the sale of tickets and Dr Davenport for gratuitous attendance during my illness. To the [illegible] ladies and gentlemen I have but to add that deeply as my husband and myself have suffered here in consequence of his heavy losses around the Sound we shall remember our recent visit to Portland with regret only for the circumstance which compel us to bid [illegible] my kind friends we made even at the eleventh hour coupled with the hope of meeting them again under more proper [illegible] than have lately been [illegible] Yours ever gratefully

LAURA STEVENSON CHURCH

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[illegible]

APRIL FASHIONS.

SILVER GRAY

Silver gray is the fashionable color for April costumes. The custom of combining woolen stuffs with silk of the same color remains in vogue, and the sleeveless [illegible] overskirt is still [illegible] as in the following French model. The skirt [illegible] trimmed is of silver gray silk with [illegible] single gathered bias flounce ten inches deep [illegible] [illegible] of light gray cashmere [illegible] on the edge with a silk [illegible] draped scarf alternately [illegible] cashmere and silk. The [illegible] in front than behind [illegible] pocket and [illegible] of silk and the coat sleeves of silk with the cashmere cuffs. [illegible] mixed [illegible] with a standing collar with turned over points in front and three double box pleats behind. Such a costume is [illegible] [illegible] when the ceremony [illegible] white [illegible] with gray shirred silk crown [illegible] roses of the [illegible]

BLACK NET BONNET

Black tulle or thread net bonnets are also popular [illegible] but will not be generally worn until [illegible] Jet beads are prettily attached to this net in hanging loops of finely cut beads [illegible] longer dangling bugles. The Charlotte Corday [illegible] like [illegible] for [illegible] cutting [illegible] of white crepe [illegible] inside these for face trimming, making something very like the widows cap which girls envy [illegible] fascinating. Wreaths of rose foliage are laid flatly around the large crowns of these caps and a black ostrich tip is made to nod over the crown.

NEW POLONAISE

The sensible reader will be glad to hear an authoritative denial of the rumor that the polonaise is to be abandoned for this sensible, convenient, simple and graceful garment could not be well spared. Another welcome hint is that the newly imported polonaises are long, belted and of simple shape so similar to last year's styles that the garments now on hand will answer as they are or can be easily draped in the present mode. Few new garments button down the entire front and few are single-breasted, otherwise they have little novelty. The new plan is to button them only about a basque length below the waist, to trim the front edges thence and let them fall in deep points on the sides. Light camel's hair, the new Cambay stuffs and cashmere, are the fabrics for polonaises to be worn over silk skirts. The flounces on the silk skirt are very simple and may be either wool, [illegible] or silk, or of each alternately. Pockets are far less conspicuous than formerly both in size and position, they are now oblong and merely laps and pushed far back on the sides or else directly behind. Buttons are also reduced in size. There are many pretty shaded bone buttons and fair ones of tortoise-shell, but the oxidized monstrosities have had their day. The flaring Medici collar, or the English collar with pleated back, is always made of the silk with which the polonaise is trimmed. The newest black cashmere polonaises are satin striped and are trimmed with blue steel passementeries, galloon and fringe. An elegant novelty is the English embroidered polonaise of black silk, the entire garment being wrought in open needlework in intricate arabesque patterns.

MEDICI SACQUES

The most dressy wraps worn with Spring costumes are called Medici sacques and are simply loose basques longer in front than behind and trimmed perpendicularly from neck to edge with bands placed quite near together. These bands are of galloon or else guipure insertion, and the material upon which they are sewed is black cashmere or else Sicilienne, a row of lace or fringe edges the sacque, a ruff of lace and a flaring silk collar are around the neck, and the sleeves are the loose ugly square Japanese shape, formerly called *la religieuse*.

NEW ENGLISH JACKETS

The jaunty English jacket with its high shoulders, double breast, pockets, coat sleeves, coat collar and other masculine features remains the standard shape for feminine jackets for general use.

C. OF R. C.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GRAND ENCAMPMENT OF THE CHAMPIONS OF THE RED CROSS

GOOD TEMPLARS HALL,
Portland April 10 1874

Pursuant to a call issued by a committee from Harmony Encampment No 4, of Portland, at the suggestion of Supreme Commander A I Enos, of San Francisco the Representatives in the jurisdiction of Oregon Washington and Idaho assembled at Good Templars Hall Portland on the 10th inst and called to order at 11 A M by Supreme Commander Enos who was also elected Chairman *pro tem* and E J Heroy Secretary.

The following committee on credentials was appointed: J M Bacon, F R Hawes, S H Huntington. The committee reported the following Representatives present and entitled to seats in the Grand Encampment:

Olive No [illegible]—M Bacon, B I Newman by J M Bacon proxy, Mrs [illegible] by H F [illegible] proxy, [illegible]

Washington No [illegible]—R H Hewitt, J H Munson, W H Roberts, E D M Causland (by R H Hewitt proxy)

Harmony No 4—A F Johnson, J H Johnson, [illegible] Miss Hattie Brown, L K Hawe

Lee No [illegible]—J J Houston, Henry Moore, R J Rounds, I M Laferty, Sarah Laferty (by L K Houston proxy)

Excelsior No [illegible]—W M D Lewis, A R Lyle, Smith M [illegible] (by A F Johnson proxy)

Hope No [illegible]—J D Robb, Henry Pearson, Mrs [illegible] Miss Lizzie [illegible]

Oakland No [illegible]—S K Raymond, Miss F Robinson, John Barker, John Shupe, E M Crane (by S K Raymond proxy)

The committee also reported Mrs Mary Hurley present from Lewiston Encampment No 1 Idaho and recommended that she be admitted as a Representative from the same.

On motion, report adopted.

On motion a committee of three was appointed to report permanent officers for the session. Committee: J L Houston, M C Athey, J H Johnson.

On motion Grand Encampment adjourned until 1 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION

Grand Encampment assembled at the appointed hour. Grand Commander in the chair. Committee on Permanent Organization made the following report:

Grand Commander A F Johnson of Harmony No 4, Oregon; Grand Vice Commander S K Raymond of [illegible]; [illegible] Grand Junior [illegible] Mrs H Howell; [illegible] Oregon; Grand Guard Mrs Mary Hurley of Lewiston Encampment No 1 Idaho; Grand Sentinel S Huntington of Excelsior No [illegible]; W T Grand Secretary R H Hewitt, of Washington No [illegible]; Grand Treasurer J M Bacon [illegible]; [illegible] Miss Lizzie [illegible] of Hope Encampment No [illegible] Oregon.

The Grand Officers were then regularly installed.

[illegible] of Harmony was appointed [illegible]

The following standing committees were then appointed:

Finance—J M Bacon, F R Hawe, J D Robb.

[illegible]

Appeals [illegible]—H [illegible] Mrs [illegible] S K Raymond.

[illegible]—R H Hewitt, Mrs R [illegible]

[illegible]

On motion [illegible] evening session [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] adjourned [illegible] to-morrow morning.

IS IT LEGAL?

PORTLAND April [illegible]

I wish to call the attention of the Superintendent of Streets to the clothes drying [illegible] [illegible] on First street between [illegible] and Third streets. Is [illegible] the ordinance to use the sidewalk [illegible] [illegible] upon the streets in any part of the city.

FOOTPAD

For a fine picture go to Dennis's new photograph rooms, Yamhill and First street. Employs one of the best (lately from the East) photographers and [illegible] in Oregon. Sure to please and [illegible] one flight of stairs.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Music at Central Market this evening.

Last day of the present term of the Circuit Court.

The political cauldron has commenced to seethe.

Peach apple and plum trees are in full bloom.

A bad habit to get into—Debt that is not paid for.

Steamer to sail from San Francisco for this port at [illegible] to-day.

Steamer will sail this morning from San Francisco for Portland.

[illegible] are entertaining the San Franciscans again.

On the way to this port—the ship *Vermont* [illegible] from San Francisco.

The WEEKLY OREGONIAN is a first rate number [illegible] the business [illegible]

All the new styles in spring bonnets will appear to-day and to-morrow upon the heads of many a fair one.

Third street between Stark and Washington was blockaded last night by a two story building bound south.

We understand that some fifteen directors of the Northern Pacific Railroad will be among the passengers of the steamer leaving San Francisco to-day.

To cleanse marble stained with iron rust apply lemon juice to it with a flour rag and wash with warm water. If soiled with dirt wash it with soap and Paris white.

The Crescent Base Ball Club is officered as follows: G [illegible] President, Wm Murray Vice President, H Northrup Secretary, N Sutton Treasurer, H Bennett Captain. The boys are ready for play and await challenges.

Arrived—No 2 of Curfew Bells. The book is completed, music by E J Finck. This song is dedicated to the poet H W Longfellow who has made the remark about it of being superior to the music of any other of his poems that have yet been set to music.

Point, or any kind of fine lace may be cleansed easily by soaking it in a preparation of sapolio and warm water. If this is not procurable ammonia may be used with almost equal effect. Let it soak till fit to rinse in pure warm water, then lay it on the ironing board over clean linen and iron lightly on the wrong side with a cool iron. Afterward pin the lace on the linen covered board inserting a pin in every open loop to keep the pattern clear.

SPECIAL CHURCH NOTICES.

The usual Sunday School Concert will be held at the First Congregational Church to-morrow evening at 7½ o'clock.

Rev G H Atkinson will preach at Oregon City on Sabbath at 10½ A M April 12th. He will also preach at Oswego at 3 o'clock to-morrow.

There will be Norwegian religious services in the Scandinavian Evangelical Lutheran Church in East Portland Sunday 12th inst at 11 o'clock A M and at 7 o'clock in the Y M C A rooms over Ladd & Tilton's Bank by Rev A L Fredrichsen.

Portland's exposures to moral evils—The broad ways to vice made smooth—Necessity of repressive legislation and enlightened public sentiment—Appeal to parents and philanthropists. Woman's participation—How to satisfy her demand for suffrage. The certainty of moral reformation and the wisdom of promoting it. These are subjects for discussion to-morrow evening at the Presbyterian Church. The Methodist Church will also be open, and other topics will be presented there.

BUSINESS NOTICES

See the new advertisements on the second page and give each your attention.

The firm of Laidlaw & Gates has been dissolved. Mr Jas Laidlaw will continue the business.

Among the new advertisements will be found Hill's. He is popular because he keeps only the best and always gives satisfaction to his many patrons. Give him your order for groceries if you want everything in splendid order.

Now Beck & Waldman come forward with a new ad explaining to the public what they have and how they propose to sell the same. You will certainly find the desired article at this house, one of the oldest in the city. They keep a complete stock of clothing.

THE COURTS.

CIRCUIT COURT—UPTON J

FRIDAY April 10 1874

Lucy E Burnett et al vs W W Page, motion of J C Work attorney for a lien on money [illegible] in the hands of the Clerk granted.

Mary L Barr et vs Charles and Sarah J Barrett, case being argued.

Ellsteins Seller & Co vs W K Leary; judgment on pleadings.

COUNTY COURT—HAMILTON, J

In the matter of the petition of Richard Hoyt for repayment of part of tax on personal property, application denied for the reason that the same comes too late for the action of this court.

PERSONAL

Wm M Turner Esq of Jacksonville gave us a call yesterday.

Capt H Kelly of the Jacksonville *Sentinel*, is in the city. He gave us a call yesterday.

O Brien has removed to the corner of First and Stark streets where he will be happy to offer the best cigars and tobacco in the city.

[illegible]—A thorough inspection of the latest spring styles in Clothing, and Furnishing Goods by Mr J D Scharf of O'NEIL & CO, while in San Francisco has resulted in the selection of everything new and that firm have just completed opening the new stock. Their customers and the public generally are invited to call and examine the new arrivals. Mr Scharf selects expressly to suit Portland trade, and the new goods will be sure to please the most fastidious. Call.

The housekeeper who can buy in large and varied stocks of goods should be able to afford his patrons excellent opportunities to purchase just what they want at the lowest figures. This is just what JOS KOHN opposite National Bank invariably does. His assortments [illegible] and the prices marked low so low that all can be accommodated. Be sure and go through his [illegible]

Veterinary Surgeons all over the country are recommending [illegible] *Cattle Powders* [illegible] [illegible]

A friend of ours who is chief clerk in a Government [illegible] [illegible] medicine chest [illegible] [illegible] is not [illegible] [illegible] importance [illegible]

The Pull Down Practice

[illegible]

[illegible]

Hassalo Lodge No 15, I O O F.—Meets every Friday evening at [illegible] o'clock in [illegible] Hall. Members [illegible] invited to attend. By order of N G

Samaritan Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, in Odd Fellows Temple corner of First and Alder streets. Members of the Order are invited to attend. By order N G

Knights of Pythias.—Myrtle Lodge No [illegible] hold [illegible] Thursday Evening of each week at the Castle Hall, N W cor First and [illegible] streets. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend. By order of the Lodge. ED WILCOX, K R S

Harmony Encampment No 1 C of R C.—Meets [illegible] Hall corner [illegible] o'clock.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

CLARENDON HOTEL

C T Jones Brooklyn
C H Grubb Vancouver
J D Robb wf & [illegible] Minnville
H A Reasoner McManus
Miss L Jordan
W K Curtis Vancouver
Fred W Bier
J H Price Kalama
F C Reltig Coos Bay
D Harris
Geo Landish
T J Beard Tangent
Dr F H Whitehouse, Kalama
Wm Clough Kalama

ST CHARLES HOTEL

S A Clarke Salem
N W Wilson [illegible]
S [illegible]
H B Cusack
W T Kimball Walla Walla
C H [illegible] U S A
I M D [illegible]
F H Curry

COSMOPOLITAN HOTEL

L Plumgrass O City
Thos H Top [illegible]
I Wertheimer S F
Z B Adams
[illegible]
F F McArthur Dalle
C H Armstrong Vancouver
L A Jackson Walla Walla
M J Harkness
Henry Edward Lewiston
Sam Smith
H H Holt Kalama
D Shaw O City
Z A Moody [illegible]

OCCIDENTAL HOTEL

D O Lewis Oakland
W M [illegible] Baker City
J Hendershot Salem
Mc Athey O City
S K [illegible] Oakland
T J Matlock [illegible]
Oliver Bake Salem
M W McMurry O City
M Stewart Umatilla
T H Story Pendleton
A H Reynolds U S A
H [illegible] Lafayette
D N [illegible]
L [illegible] Salem
Miss Belknap Eugene
F M & H L Bacon O City

AMERICAN EXCHANGE

W H [illegible] Silverton
A Underw[illegible]
Benj F Morrison Vancouver
Mrs [illegible] & son Olympia
S T [illegible]
J W Smith Walla Walla
A C Burg
A [illegible] Lewiston
J M H[illegible] Tacoma
Jno A Galbraith Palmer
C [illegible] Eugene
G A [illegible] Walla Walla
Thos Edwards Silver City
M H R[illegible]
Sam Craves
R W Dows
Chas F [illegible]
N Huntington Monticello
M D Morrison Cornelius
T E [illegible] Junction
P P Connor Woodland Cal
N Stump Oregon

THE CHURCHES

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Corner Jefferson and Second—Rev J D Eaton Pastor, residence northwest corner of Fifth and Clay sts, at home Tuesday afternoon and evening. Public services at 11 o'clock a m and 7½ p m. Sunday School at 12½ p m. S S Concert on the second Sunday evening of every month. Prayer and Conference meeting on Thursday at 7½ p m. All the seats are free and ushers are in waiting to welcome strangers.

CONGREGATIONAL, EAST PORTLAND—Service at the School House in the McMillen District at 11 A M. Sabbath School [illegible]

PLYMOUTH CHURCH—Corner of E and Fourteenth streets. Sabbath School at 3 P M.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Corner of Taylor and Third—Rev Geo W [illegible] Pastor. Preaching services in the morning at 11 o'clock, in the evening from April to July at 7½ p m, August to November at [illegible], December to March at [illegible] p m. Communion service the first Sabbath of each month. Prayer meetings Sabbath evening one hour before preaching; young people's prayer meeting Wednesday evening; regular weekly prayer meeting on Thursday evening and a general experience meeting on first Thursday evening in each month at same hour as preaching service. Noon meetings daily. Sunday School at [illegible] p m. Chinese Sunday School at [illegible]. Sunday School Missionary Concert on first Sunday in each month at 2 p m. Strangers are cordially invited. Pews free.

HALL ST M E CHURCH—Corner Hall and Sixth—Rev T L Royal Pastor. Service at 11 A M and 7 30 P M. Sunday School at 9 A M. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Corner Washington and Third—Rev Dr Lindsley Pastor—residence corner Morrison and Ninth streets. Sabbath service at 11 a m and 7½ p m. Sabbath School and Bible Class at 1 30. Prayer meeting at 6 45 p m. Lecture Thursday evening at 7½. Gentlemen will be in attendance at the doors to conduct strangers and visitors to seat.

UNITARIAN CHAPEL—Corner Yamhill and Seventh—Rev T L Eliot Pastor. Regular services every Sabbath at 11 a m and 7½ p m. Sunday School at 1 P M. The evening service is omitted on the *first* Sunday of every month. The Communion Service at 7 30 p m on that day. Pastor's residence—Salmon street between Fifth and Sixth.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Corner Fourth and Alder—Rev A J Medbury Pastor. Preaching on Sabbath at 11 o'clock a m and at 7½ p m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening of each week at 8 o'clock. Sabbath School at 12½ o'clock Sunday immediately after the morning preaching. Seats free.

CATHOLIC CHURCH—Corner Stark and Third—Rev Father Fierens in charge, assisted by Rev C Delahunty. First Mass 6 30 a m, Second Mass 8 o'clock, High Mass 10 30 a m, Vespers 7 30 p m.

TRINITY CHURCH—Corner Oak and Sixth—Service Sunday at 11 a m and [illegible] p m. Wednesday and Friday and all Holy days at 10 a m. Friday evening with lecture at 7½. The seats all FREE at the evening service. The Sunday School meets in the S S Chapel on Fifth street at [illegible]. Rev Geo Burton Rector—residence Fourth street between [illegible]. The Rector may be seen at the Church every day from 12 to 1.

ST STEPHEN'S CHAPEL—Corner Madison and Fourth—Rev John Rosenberg Pastor. Services at 11 A M and 7½ P M. Sunday School immediately after morning service.

TRINITY MISSION SUNDAY SCHOOL—Watson's Addition—Meets every Sunday at 2½ P M. Evening Prayer and Sermon every second and fourth Sunday in the month.

ST MATTHEW'S EPISCOPAL MISSION CHAPEL—First and Caruthers streets—Services every Sunday and Wednesday evening at 7½ o'clock. Sunday School 9½ A M.

ST TIMOTHY'S CHAPEL—Bishop Scott Grammar School—Morning Prayer every Sunday at 10½ A M. Sunday School at 2 P M.

ST DAVID'S P EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Fifth and N street, East Portland—Services Sunday morning and evening. Sunday School 9½ A M.

The ADVENT CHRISTIANS have Church Service every Sabbath at 11 o'clock A M in the Temperance Hall corner of First and Madison streets, up stairs opposite Bunnell's Market.

SCANDINAVIAN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH—East Portland—A L Fredrichsen Pastor. Religious service in the English language at [illegible] M. In the Norwegian language when required and notified.

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NOTICE.

TO THE TAXPAYERS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT No 1 Multnomah County, Oregon—The ANNUAL MEETING [illegible] will be held at the Central School House on [illegible] April 13, 1874 at [illegible] o'clock P.M. to hear the reports of the [illegible] and [illegible] and to levy a tax to support the [illegible] ensuing year.
[illegible] of Board of Directors
R J LADD Clerk
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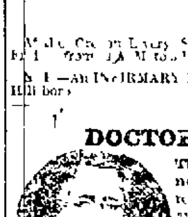
VETERINARY SURGEON
HILLSBORO, OREGON

[illegible] Livery Stable, Portland [illegible]
[illegible]—AN INFIRMARY FOR HORSES [illegible] Hillsboro.

DOCTOR JIM,



The Celebrated Chinese Physician has returned to the city after an absence of [illegible] and [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible]

CITY LICENSES.

LICENSES FOR THE CURRENT QUARTER are now due. [illegible] [illegible]
J H LEWIS
Treasurer [illegible]
Portland April 1 1874

FOR RENT.

OFFICE IN [illegible] STORY BRICK BUILDING [illegible] THE OWNER

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At 10 o'clock A.M.
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east half of Lot No [illegible] in Block [illegible] Addition to the City of Portland [illegible] two Two-story Dwelling Houses [illegible] rooms each all hard finished [illegible] well of water on the premises—between Third and Fourth
ALSO,
Block No 30 in Caruthers Addition [illegible]
ALSO
[illegible]ROOM, DININGROOM and KITCHEN FURNITURE.
ALSO
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bxs Candles
kegs S I Syrup
bxs C O Soap
bxs I X L Soap
bxs L B Soap
A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

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MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY
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Capital..........$1,000,000
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[illegible] BIGELOW
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Oregon Branch
PORTLAND P Wasserman, C H [illegible] D Macleay
[illegible]
HAMILTON BOYD
Agent for Oregon and [illegible]

MISCELLANEOUS

BLUE LICK
WHISKEY.

HAVING BEEN APPOINTED [illegible] [illegible] the above celebrated [illegible] [illegible] I am in receipt of [illegible] barrels, half barrels and [illegible] also offer to the trade [illegible]
H. FLECKENSTEIN
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Wholesale Dealer in Wines and Liquors
No 1[illegible] First, near Taylor

[illegible]000 WINDOW SASH
1,000 Boxes Glass
ENAMELED GLASS.
STAINED GLASS,
CRYSTAL SHEET
And [illegible]
And Full Stock of
DOORS AND BLINDS
In Store at
REDUCED PRICES
J. SIMON
66 FRONT STREET
☞Call before purchasing elsewhere
GLAZING DONE TO ORDER

KEEP COOL. KEEP COOL
ONE CENT
FOR A POUND OF ICE
WHICH I WILL DELIVER [illegible] the City free of [illegible]
Depot No 27 Stark street [illegible] streets
☞My preparations [illegible] [illegible] will [illegible] supply in the future the [illegible] cheapest Ice ever [illegible]
J M [illegible]

[illegible] DYER.
DYER BROS.
Carriage and Wagon Makers
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PLAIN & ORNAMENTAL
Coach, Carriage and Sign Painting
Executed by
R C F PEARSON, Practical Painter
SHOP—[illegible] 1st, bet [illegible]

SEEDS! SEEDS!
A Complete Assortment of Fresh
Field, Garden & Flower Seeds
TREES, SHRUBBERY, PLANTS, [illegible]
[illegible] Implements and [illegible] the popular [illegible] of Potatoes etc etc.
SEEDS A SPECIALTY
[illegible]
HANSON & AIKEN
SEED DEPOT,
CENTRAL BLOCK [illegible]

OPEN FOR BIDS
THE UNDERSIGNED [illegible]
[illegible]
W H BUTTS [illegible]

The Daily Oregonian.
SATURDAY MORNING, APRIL 11 1874

For the Oregonian

MIRAGES.

AMO [illegible] ONES

O'er a weary waste in a desert land
With aching brow and a weary hand
A stranger toiled and his weak frail frame
Could battle ill with the ills that came.
No tree or flower his eye beguiles
But a sandy stretch of miles on miles

The hot sun blazed and that ceaseless hum
Of insect life to his dull ears come
Its strength was gone and his parched [illegible]
Sang not the songs that he erst had sung,
While a look of despair and pain there lies
In the lucid depths of his longing eyes

But lo on the rim of the farthest verge
Where the mountain sky and the wild plains merge
He saw a lake of the purest blue
Mid foliage rank and of every hue
From the green and grey of the sycamore
To the crimson fruit that the cactus bore

And princely palms as grandly rise
As e'er were seen neath the Arab skies
Where palms are poets whose sweet song [illegible]
To recall the soul of forgotten dreams
Yea, glorious dreams of the youthful mind
Vaguely remembered and undefined

The lagging feet of the singer pressed
With less of pain toward the promised rest,
And e'en in fancy his brow was bared
By the rippling winds which the tall trees waved
And a languid sense of deliciousness
At sight of the water he soon might press

But look ah look and he stood aghast
For the tops of the palms were fading fast
And the foliage green dissolved away
And the Mirage Lake like a mirror lay
But then it smaller and smaller grew
And disappeared from his longing view

Then he moaned Is it fate that I perish here
When rest I thought was near so near
Yet all my life when joys seemed fair
I have reached for them, but they were not there
Fame and honor and wealth have led
Like mirage lakes and like them fled

With a heartbroke wail and a smothered cry
He threw him down on the sands to die
When something he felt against him press
With a gentle touch, like a sweet caress
And he drew from his bosom a clasp of gold
Curiously carved, and quaint, and old

And nestling the golden lids between
Was the pictured face of a maiden queen,
Aye royal Queen o'er his wild strong heart
Which she held in thrall by the sweetest art,
She had dawned on his soul like a beauteous beam
Or the glorious thoughts of an opium dream.

The snowy breadth of her brow so fair
Half hid in the wealth of her long dark hair
And you might have read in her soul lit eyes
A tale of Love and its mysteries,
And her nature born of the passionate South
Was told by the curves of her warm red mouth

He rose and tried to be strong again
It seemed that the fierce sun lost its pain
It seemed that a fragrant, and redolent breeze
Was wafted to him from the far-off seas
And the growing light in his dark, bright eye
Was born of Love.—Well he did not die

But I do not know to this very hour
Whether that love like a blooming flower
Sprang up in his path and grew not dim
And clasped to the passionate heart of him
Or whether amid the world's fierce strife
Twas a Mirage, set in the Plains of Life

EAST PORTLAND April 10 1874

THE VASA D AGUA.

I

One very hot evening, in the year 181-, the curate of San Pedro a village distant but a few leagues from Seville, returned very much fatigued to his poor home, where his worthy housekeeper Senora Margarita, about 70 years of age, awaited him However much any one might have been accustomed to distress and privation among the Spanish peasantry, it was impossible not to be struck with the evidences of poverty in the house of the good priest The nakedness of the walls and scantiness of the furniture were the more apparent from a certain air about them of better days Senora Margarita had just prepared for her master's supper an olla podrida, which, notwithstanding the sauce and high-sounding name was nothing more than the remains of his dinner, which she had disguised with the greatest skill. The curate, gratified at the color of this savory dish exclaimed

"Thank God, [illegible] for this dainty dish. By San Pedro friend, you may well bless your stars to find such a supper in the house of your host'

At the word host, Margarita raised her eyes and beheld a stranger who accompanied her master The face of the old dame suddenly assumed an expression of wrath and disappointment Her angry glances fell on the new comer and again on her master who looked down, and said with the timidity of a child who dreads the remonstrances of his servant—

Peace Margarita! Where there is enough for two there is always enough for three, and you would not have wished me to leave a Christian to starve? he has not eaten for three days"

"Santa Maria! he a Christian! He looks more like a robber!" and muttering to herself the housekeeper left the room During this parley the stranger remained motionless at the threshold He was tall with long black hair and flashing eyes, his clothes were in tatters and the long rifle which he carried excited distrust rather than favor

Must I go away? he inquired

The curate replied with an emphatic gesture — Never shall he whom I shelter be driven away or made unwelcome; but sit down, put aside your gun, let us say grace, and to our repast

I never quit my weapon As the proverb says, two friends are one My rifle is my best friend, and I shall keep it between my knees Though you may not send me from your house till it suits me, there are others who would make me leave theirs against my will and perhaps head-foremost Now to your health, let us eat

The curate himself, although a man of good appetite, was amazed at the voracity of the stranger who seemed to bolt rather than eat almost the whole of the dish, besides drinking the whole flask of wine and leaving none for his host, or scarcely a morsel of the enormous loaf which occupied a corner of the table. Whilst he was eating so voraciously he started at the slightest noise If a gust of wind suddenly closed the door, he sprang up and leveling his rifle, seemed determined to repel intrusion Having recovered from his alarm, he again sat down and went on with his repast "Now said he, speaking with his mouth full, "I must tax your kindness to the utmost. I am wounded in the thigh, and eight days have passed without its being dressed Give me a few bits of linen, then you shall be rid of me

I do not wish to rid myself of you, replied the curate interested in his guest in spite of his threatening demeanor, by his strange exciting conversation I am somewhat of a doctor You will not have the awkwardness of a country barber or dirty bandages to complain of as you shall see So speaking he drew forth from a closet a bundle containing all things needed and turning up his sleeves prepared himself to discharge the duty of a surgeon

The wound was deep, the ball having passed through the stranger's thigh, who to be able to walk, must have exerted a strength and courage more than human "You will not be able to proceed on your journey to-day, said the curate, probing the wound with the satisfaction of an amateur artist You must remain here to-night Good rest will restore your health and abate the inflammation, and the swelling will go down

I must depart to-day at this very hour replied the stranger, with a mournful sigh 'There are some who wait me, others who seek me, he added, with a ferocious smile Come have you done your dressing? Good here am I light and easy, as if I never had been wounded Give me a loaf Take this piece of gold in payment for your hospitality and farewell So saying the stranger departed, taking with him the loaf which Margarita had so unwillingly brought at her master's order Soon his tall figure disappeared in the foliage of the wood which surrounded the village

An hour later the report of firearms was heard The stranger reappeared, bleeding and wounded in the breast He was ghastly as if dying

'Here' said he presenting to the old priest some pieces of gold My children—in the ravine—in the wood—near the little brook

He fell just as half a dozen soldiers rushed in arms in hand They met with no resistance from the wounded man, whom they closely bound and after some time allowed the priest to dress his wound but in spite of all his remarks on the danger of removing a man so severely wounded they placed him on a cart

Basta they said he can but die He is the great robber Don Jose della Ribera" Jose thanked the good priest by a motion of his head and then asked for a glass of water and as the priest put it to his lips he faintly said, '[illegible] remember?'

The curate replied with a nod, and when the troop had departed in spite of the remonstrances of Margarita who represented to him the danger of going out into the night, and the inutility of such a step he quickly crossed the wood towards the ravine, and there found the dead body of a woman killed no doubt, by a stray shot from the soldiers A baby lay at her breast, and by her side a little boy of about four years old who was endeavoring to wake her pulling her by the sleeve thinking she had fallen asleep and calling her mamma [illegible] Margarita's surprise when [illegible] two children in his arms

Santa Maria What can this mean What will you do in the night? We have not ever sufficient for [illegible] ourselves and yet you bring two children I must go and beg from door to door for them and ourselves And who are these children the sons of a bandit gypsy and worse perhaps Have they ever been baptized?

At this moment the infant uttered a plaintive cry What will you do to feed this baby We cannot afford a nurse we must [illegible] and you have no idea of the wretched nights we shall have with them

You will sleep in spite of all replied the curate

O Santa Maria it cannot be more than six months old! Happily I have a little milk here I must warm it and [illegible] getting her anger Margarita took the infant from the [illegible] kissed it and soothed it to rest She knelt before the fire stirred the embers to heat the milk quicker and when the little one had had enough she put him to sleep and the other had his turn Whilst Margarita gave him some supper undressed him she made him a bed for the night of the priest's cloak the good old man related to her how he had found the children and in what manner they had been bequeathed to him

O that is fine and good said Margarita but how can they and we be fed?

The curate took the Bible and read aloud—Whoever shall give even a cup of cold water to one of the least being my disciple verily I say unto you he shall not lose his reward

Amen responded the housekeeper

The next day the good father ordered the burial of the poor woman and he himself read the service over her grave

II

Twelve years afterward the curate of San Pedro then 70 years of age was warming himself in the sun in front of his house It was winter and there had been no sunshine for two days previously

Beside him stood a boy 10 or 12 years old reading aloud the daily prayers and from time to time casting a look of envy on a youth of about 16 tall handsome and muscular, who labored in the garden adjoining that of the priest Margarita being now blind was listening attentively when the youngest boy exclaimed O what a beautiful coach! as a splendid equipage drove up near the door

A domestic richly dressed dismounted and asked the old priest to give him a glass of water for his master

Carlos said the priest to the younger boy 'give this nobleman a glass of water and add to it a glass of wine if he will accept it Be quick!

The gentleman alighted from the coach he seemed about 50

Are the children your nephews? he inquired

Much better, said the priest they are mine—by adoption be it understood

How so?

I shall tell you as I can refuse nothing to such a gentleman, for poor and inexperienced in the world as I am I need good advice how to provide for these two boys'

'Make ensigns of them in the King's guards and in order to keep up a suitable appearance he must allow them a pension of six thousand ducats.

I ask your advice my Lord, not mockery

'Then you must have your church rebuilt and by the side of it a pretty parsonage house, with handsome iron railings to inclose the whole When this work is complete it shall be called the church of the *Vasa d'agua* (Glass of Water) Here is the plan of it will it suit you?'

'What do you mean?

These features—this voice means that I am Don Jose della Ribera Twelve years ago I was the brigand Jose I escaped from prison, and times have changed From a chief of robbers I have become the chief of a party You befriended me You have been a father to my children Let them come to embrace me—let them come!" and he opened his arms to receive them They fell on his bosom

When he had long pressed them and kissed them by turns with tears and half uttered expressions of gratitude, he held out his hand to the old priest

Well my father will you not accept the church?

The curate greatly moved turned to Margarita and said Whosoever shall give even a cup of cold water to one of the least being my disciple verily I say unto you he shall not lose his reward

Amen responded the old dame who wept for joy at the happiness of her master and his children by adoption at whose departure she also grieved

Twelve months afterward, Don Jose della Ribera and his two sons attended at the consecration of the church at San Pedro one of the prettiest environs of Seville

A SINGULAR ACCIDENT—A dispatch from Wilkesbarre, Pa March 24th says a fatal accident of a very peculiar nature occurred this morning James Hiebert a young man employed at the Enterprise coal mines stumbled against a table while getting out of bed and struck his neck on a lamp globe severing his jugular vein He bled to death in five minutes

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial

FRIDAY EVENING April 10 1874

Gold in New York 113⅜

Portland Legal Tenders buying 88 selling [illegible]

Gold bars are quotable at 72a75 fine

Exchange on New York, ¼ per cent premium for currency and one per cent premium for gold

Exchange on San Francisco at ¾ of 1 per cent premium

Wheat in Liverpool via mail advices from San Francisco 12s@12s 4d for average California and 12s 4d@12s 8d for club

One of the most recent financial propositions broached by the Treasury tinkers at Washington is the establishment of a redeeming agency for the banks joining the public credit to private fortunes and embracing the operations of the Treasury and National Banks under one redeeming authority by taking the statements of the Treasury and the exhibit of the banks and directing the whole under one central head The plan is to gather the gold in one common hoard and settle the foreign balances in this way instead of carting it from the mines to the ships side The control is to be delegated to three persons authorized by the banks, three from the business interests and the Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means of the House and of the Finance Committee of the Senate who shall form a corporate body to have succession for a term of [illegible] years charged with the duty of [illegible] credit and private means to the specie standard The scheme has the appearance of plausibility on paper but probably has as little and no less impracticability about it as a thousand other theories which from time to time have been promulgated and forgotten

If a national debt is really a national blessing the civilized governments of the world must be approaching the millenium According to Mr Dudley Baxter an excellent statistical authority these amounted in 1848 to eight and a half billions of dollars whilst at the present time they are estimated at nearly twenty four billions having nearly trebled within a quarter of a century Should a similar increase be maintained during the next twenty five years they will by the beginning of the next century reach the astonishing total of between sixty and seventy billions of dollars while the interest payable on the account of them even at five per cent, will exceed the existing revenues of all the civilized nations of the world together

Farmers their Own Shippers.

Whatever method of shipping that returns the greatest net proceeds to the farmer is the one which will and ought to be adopted The bark *Kate* was loaded by several farmers in San Joaquin county last year for Liverpool through their agents Lambert Palmer & Co in San Francisco Returns have been received which are published in the *Rural Press* and show that the cargo was sold at Liverpool between the 30th of September and the 10th of October last at an average of $[illegible] per cental netting to the shippers clear of transportation charges and interest at 70 per cent advance $[illegible]

The *Press* says In order that our readers may form some idea of the nature and amount of the various charges attending the shipment and sale of a cargo of Wheat we give the following bill of particulars as rendered to Lambert Palmer & Co, by their Liverpool agents on the cargo of the *Kate*

	£	S	D
Marine policy stamp	[illegible]	[illegible]	0
Bill stamps	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cablegrams and Postage	[illegible]	17	[illegible]
Insurance	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dock and Town Dues	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dock charges, Weighing, Landing etc	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Delivering, including [illegible]	[illegible]	17	[illegible]
Fire Insurance	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Commissions on [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

It will be seen from this statement that the charge [illegible]

Miscellaneous

[illegible]

The [illegible] regulating the liability of ship owners for merchandise [illegible] that vessels [illegible] of inland water will be continued [illegible] importance to an extended [illegible]

[illegible] of refiners in San Francisco [illegible] been reduced [illegible] cent per [illegible]

Jay Gould has succeeded in [illegible] elected as one of the Directors of the Union Pacific Railroad As a result there is a plentiful supply of rumors of designs on that road and of manipulation of its stock It is said that the charter of the road permits an issue of $[illegible] additional stock and that this will be his policy On the other side it is declared that a dividend of [illegible] per cent will be [illegible] on and the stock urged up

The Gold coinage of the United States Mint for the coming three months of April May and June is set down at $3 000 000 Since the 1st of January 1874 it has been $10 000 000

Petitions both for and against an increase of the currency continue to pour into Congress In view of the present abundance of money throughout the United States it becomes more and more apparent that the petitioners for an increase of currency feel themselves to be on the popular side of the question

The duties on imports received at the Philadelphia Custom House for the month ending March 21 amounted to $[illegible]

The foreign imports at the port of New York for the week ending March [illegible] foot up $7 [illegible] This is a large falling off compared with the entries for the week previous.

There appears to be a general panic in Internal Revenue receipts just now arising from a combination of causes such as the temporary suspension of wholesale and retail dealers in spirits on account of the crusade of the women the suspension of distillery operations for the same reason the movements of speculators and the anxiety of those interested in the liquor traffic to know what Congress is going to do in connection with it It is by no means improbable that increased taxation on some articles other than liquor may become necessary before the adjournment of Congress

Michigan occupies an exceptional position as compared with any other State in the Union in point of railway facilities The Commissioner of Railroads reports to the Governor that on the 1st of January there were over 3 [illegible] miles of completed railroad in the State valued at $[illegible] whose running expenses were last year over $[illegible] and whose earnings were over $[illegible] These figures show an enormous development and a prodigious amount of business for a State of only a million and a half population The rates of freight on State roads are lower than in any other State

As showing the downward tendency of freight rates the following statement from the last annual report of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad Company is significant The report says Rates have of late years tended downward so steadily and so rapidly that the average rate per ton per mile in 1872 was but little more than half the rate of 1868 The report of the Michigan Central Company also states that rates have sunk from [illegible] per ton per mile in 1865 to [illegible] in 1872 with a slight increase—1 100th of a cent—in 1873 Nearly all the principal roads of the country have had a like experience

Shipping Intelligence.

The regular steamer will leave San Francisco for this port to-morrow and be due here on [illegible] day

The steamship Oriflamme hence for San Francisco sailed at [illegible] P M to day

The bark Henry Sempe is rapidly receiving her cargo of wheat for the United Kingdom

The ship Sparrowhawk is reported on her way to the Columbia river to load salmon for the English market

The schooner Oregonian from San Francisco for this port sailed on the [illegible] inst

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO April 10—Arrived—Golam [illegible]

Sailed—Sparrow, Umpqua Parallel [illegible]

San Francisco Stock Market

BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO April 1[illegible]

Ophir	[illegible]	Justice	[illegible]
G & C	[illegible]	Julia	[illegible]
B & B	[illegible]	Succor	[illegible]
Savage	61	Caledonia	[illegible]
Chollar	[illegible]	Knickerbocker	[illegible]
Hale & N	44	Globe	[illegible]
Crown Point	[illegible]	Baltimore	[illegible]
Jacket	[illegible]	Bullion	8½
Imperial	[illegible]	Utah	[illegible]
Empire	[illegible]	California	[illegible]
Kentuck	21	Silver Hill	[illegible]
Alpha	[illegible]	Dayton	[illegible]
Belcher	[illegible]	Union Con	18
Confidence	[illegible]	Tyler	[illegible]
Con Virginia	[illegible]	Sutro	[illegible]
Sierra Nevada	[illegible]	Woodville	[illegible]
Exchequer	[illegible]	Lady Washington	[illegible]
Seg Belcher	[illegible]	Andes	[illegible]
Overman			

EVENING BOARD

Meadow Valley	11	Empire Idaho	[illegible]
Raymond & Ely	[illegible]	Eldorado N	[illegible]
Eureka Con	1	Caroline	[illegible]
W & C	[illegible]	Hayes	[illegible]
I & I	[illegible]	Belcher	[illegible]
American Flag	4½	Jacket	[illegible]
Ingomar	[illegible]	Ophir	[illegible]
Belmont	[illegible]	Overman	[illegible]
H & H	1	Point	[illegible]
M Belmont	[illegible]	Con [illegible]	[illegible]
Portland	[illegible]	Con Virginia	[illegible]
Eye Patch	[illegible]	Curry	[illegible]
Eldorado South	[illegible]	Empire Mill	[illegible]
N Y Con	[illegible]	Savage	[illegible]
Independent	[illegible]	California	[illegible]
C Chariot	[illegible]	B & B	[illegible]
Cederberg	[illegible]	Segregated Belcher	[illegible]
Elmore	[illegible]	Kentucky	[illegible]
Mahogany	[illegible]	Exchequer	[illegible]
S Chariot	[illegible]	Imperial	6

San Francisco Markets

BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO April 10—Flour—Extra [illegible]

Wheat—Choice Santa [illegible]

Barley—[illegible]

Oats—[illegible]

Hay—[illegible] ton

Corn—[illegible]

Potatoes—Petaluma [illegible]

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ALBERT [illegible]
Antelope March 9 1874

NOTICE OF ASSIGNEE OF HIS APPOINTMENT in bankruptcy District of Oregon ss at Portland the 9th day of March A D 1874—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of B K Myers of Salem in the County of Marion and State of Oregon within said District who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said District

C W [illegible]
Assignee
mh21

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING IN THE Portland Postoffice April 11 1874 Persons calling for these letters must give the date on which they are advertised

Ladies' List

Allen Mrs J
Bell Miss Phebe
B[illegible] Mrs [illegible]
Butler Mrs B D
Brown Bessie [illegible]
[illegible]
Clark Mrs [illegible]
Devaney Mrs [illegible]
[illegible] Mrs M
Fairhurst Mrs S
[illegible]
Gray Mrs [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
Hale Mrs Martha
Henry Mrs Frank
Johnson Mrs M
Kohn Mrs Sophia
M[illegible]
Ower Nettie
Page Mrs W W
R[illegible] Mrs C
Spencer Mrs G [illegible]
Smith Mrs [illegible]
[illegible] Mrs W [illegible]
W[illegible] Mrs M A
Wilson Mrs [illegible]

Gentlemen's List

Albee [illegible]
Aldridge W
[illegible]
[illegible]
Barton W
[illegible]
[illegible]
Brownell P A
Breese J S C
[illegible]
[illegible]
Campbell C F
Colvin O
[illegible]
[illegible]
Cowling [illegible]
Cornell [illegible]
Clark Wm
DeSdame C F
Dennis A H
Davenport H S
Davidson Wm
Devenshire & Co
Donald W [illegible]
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Dunn [illegible]
Este Henry
Falks Kasten
Frisby Geo
Gunn Wm
Gasner A
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Hostie W H
Herris W M
Henry [illegible]
Heathfield [illegible]
Hogan C R
Hoyt Hiram
Hurt William
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Jordan Chas
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John [illegible]
Kellogg W
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Martin M
Maly James
McDonald W
McCarthy [illegible]
McKennon Jas
McGinn H
Morris S W
Mitchell W H
Mingolla A
Neil John
O Malley Jos
Omond Frank
Perose A W
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Prettyman W
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Tyrell A
Thurman J W
Truax [illegible]
Turner Thos
Ward M H
Wagner Jacob
Wright N C
Wulley Geo
Work John
Williams A
Willoughby M E
Wilson Ole
Wilson [illegible]

GEO [illegible] COE P M

BANKS.

LADD & TILTON, BANKERS.
DEPOSITS RECEIVED, AND COIN AND CURRENCY accounts kept subject to Check at sight.
COLLECTIONS made and proceeds promptly remitted
INTEREST FROM DATE paid on Coin Time Deposits
Coin & Currency Exchange
(Sight and Telegraphic) for sale on
SAN FRANCISCO NEW YORK
ST LOUIS CHICAGO
Bills of Exchange,
Drawn in the usual way for any sum desired on
LONDON HONG KONG
PARIS, BERLIN
FRANKFORT ON THE MAIN

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK
OF PORTLAND.
Designated Depositary and Financial Agent United States.
President HENRY FAILING.
Cashier JAMES STEEL
DEPOSITS RECEIVED IN COIN OR CURRENCY subject to check at sight.
INTEREST ALLOWED on Time Deposits of Coin
LETTERS OF CREDIT issued available in the Atlantic Cities.
SIGHT EXCHANGE AND TELEGRAPHIC TRANSFERS payable in Coin or Currency for sale on NEW YORK, SAN FRANCISCO, CHICAGO ST LOUIS
SIGHT or SIXTY DAY BILLS drawn in sums to suit direct on
LONDON, PARIS,
BERLIN, FRANKFORT ON THE MAIN

THE
BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.
Incorporated by Royal Charter.
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WITH POWER TO INCREASE TO
$10,000 000.
HEAD OFFICE—5 East India Avenue, Leadenhall Street, London.
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In Vancouver Island, British Columbia, San Francisco and Portland.
AGENCIES
In New York, Canada, Scotland and Ireland.
Exchange for Sale on
England, Ireland, Scotland, New York and Canada.
INTEREST ALLOWED on Time Deposits at the rate of SIX (6) PER CENT. PER ANNUM for periods of three months and upwards
Approved Bills discounted or Collected. Loans made on available collaterals.
EDWIN RUSSELL, Manager.

The Anglo-Californian Bank,
(LIMITED)
412 California Street, San Francisco.
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New York Agents, J. & W. Seligman & Co.
21 Broad Street
AUTHORIZED
Capital Stock - $6,000,000
Will receive Deposits open Accounts make Collections buy and sell Exchange and Bullion loan Money and issue Letters of Credit available throughout the world
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I N STEINHART }
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PATRONIZE HOME MANUFACTURE
AINSLIE & DAVIDSON,
Manufacturers and Dealers in
Doors, Sash, Blinds, Frames
Shutters, Brackets and all Kinds of
Scroll Sawing.
HAVING THE BEST FACILITIES AND THE latest improved wood working machinery for the manufacture of the above articles can offer superior inducements to [illegible] and at San Francisco prices at NICOLAI BROS MILL
Also best quality of SEASONED CEDAR LUMBER CEILING and RUSTIC MOULDINGS
WOOD TURNING, in all its branches Balusters Newel Post Billiard Balls Croquet Sets etc
Nicolai Bros's Mill and Factory,
Corner Second and E streets, Portland.

I. W. LEWIS,
STAIR BUILDER,
OAK STREET between Seventh and Park
STORE FIXTURES SHELVING AND COUNTERS
Also WATER TANKS made to order
Charges Reasonable ap4 lm

TREASURER'S NOTICE

ALL COUNTY ORDERS INDORSED TO DATE will be paid on presentation

WM MASTERS
Treasurer of Multnomah county,
Portland Oregon April [illegible]

TIME TABLE FOR STREET CARS.

STANDARD TIME—HENRICHSEN'S CHRONOMETER

Street Cars will Run Week Days from 6:20 A. M. to 8 P. M., 10 Minutes Apart.
" " " " 8 00 P. M. till 11 P. M., 20 Minutes Apart.
" " On Sundays from 6.20 A. M. to 8 40 P. M., 10 Minutes Apart.

They will pass the following named Streets and Sidings as follows

GOING SOUTH.	First Car A M	From 6 30 A M till 8 P M	From 8 P M till 11 P M	Last Car P M
C Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
E Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
B Street Siding	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pine Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stark Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Alder Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Yamhill Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Taylor Street Siding	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Main Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jefferson Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Clay Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mill Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Montgomery St Siding	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lincoln Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Caruthers Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

GOING NORTH.	First Car A M	From 6 35 A M till 8 P M	From 8 P M till 11 20 P M	Last Car P M
Caruthers Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lincoln Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Montgomery St Siding	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mill Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Clay Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jefferson Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11 14
Main Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Taylor Street Siding	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Yamhill Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11 17
Alder Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11 18
Stark Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11 19
Pine Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11 20
B Street Siding	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
E Street	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
G Street				

D. D. BUDD, Superintendent.

Portland February [illegible] 1874

LAW CARDS.

E D SHATTUCK B KILLIN
SHATTUCK & KILLIN,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
ROOM 1—Dekum's Building Northwest corner of Washington and First streets.

GEO H DURHAM H Y THOMPSON
DURHAM & THOMPSON,
Attorneys-at-Law.
109 First street opposite Occidental Hotel Portland.

A. C. GIBBS E G HUGHES.
GIBBS & HUGHES,
Attorneys and Counselors at Law,
Room No 4 Dekum's Building

REMOVAL
WHALLEY & FECHHEIMER,
Attorneys at Law
HAVE REMOVED FROM ODD FELLOWS Temple to Rooms Nos 7 and 8 in Gibbs's Building corner First and Ash Streets Portland

THOS. J. DRYER.
Justice of the Peace.
OFFICE—Front Street, between B and C.

F. A. CHENOWETH,
Attorney-at-Law—Corvallis, Oregon.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

JOHN B. PILKINGTON, M. D.
OCULIST AND AURIST.
ROOM 2—DEKUM'S BUILDING CORNER FIRST AND WASHINGTON STREETS
Office Hours—10 to 12 2 to 4 and 7 to 8 P M

DR. MARY A. THOMSON,
Physician and Accoucheur.
RESIDENCE AND OFFICE—Third street between Salmon and Main opposite the Public Square Calls attended in any part of the City Batteries for sale and instructions given on the use of Electricity as a Remedial Agent

DR. C. SCHUMACHER,
Physician & Accoucheur.
Pfunder's Drug Store,
First and Oak Sts.

MARKETS.

HOME AGAIN!
J. S. KELLER,
Has returned to the
COR. MADISON AND FIRST STREETS,
Where he will be prepared to supply Fresh
Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal, Etc.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

REMOVAL—ENLARGED.
REID & VESTAL,
CENTRAL MARKET,
(Formerly of Stalls 21 and 23) now occupy
Stalls Nos. 8, 9 and 10.
INCREASED FACILITIES for DISPLAY

PORTLAND MARKET.
E. H. GARLING,
Cor MORRISON and SECOND STREETS,
KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND the best of all kinds of MEATS All orders delivered in any part of the city Free of Charge Also, KOSHER BEEF VEAL AND MUTTON

CHRIS. SCLOTH
INVITES HIS OLD PATRONS AND the public generally to call at his
NEW BUTCHER SHOP,
Washington St., one door East of Third.

WASHINGTON
WATER PIPE MANUFACTURING
AND
WATER COMPANY,
OF OLYMPIA W T
Incorporated under the Laws of Washington Territory
WE ARE PREPARED TO MANUFACTURE WATER or Gas Pipe of
1, 2, 3, 4, 6 and 8 Inch Bore.
This Pipe is made in Sections eight feet long rounded in a lathe and connected with a socket joint and band with iron as shown in the cut to stand any required pressure The [illegible] is [illegible] in Asphaltum and is perfectly air and water tight The Pipe is WARRANTED to give satisfaction Send for Price List and Circular

Rock River Paper Company's
PATENT
FELT ROOFING.
PUT ON FOR $8 50 PER SQUARE.
PREPARED PLASTERING BOARD,
Sheathing and Carpet Paper.
For sale by H C MORRICE
Masonic Temple Portland

Regalia and Trimmings,
ONLY REGALIA HOUSE IN THE STATE.
MASONIC BOOKS AND BLANKS,
Gold and Silver Laces, Fringes,
Spangles, Stars, Bullion, Etc
H C MORRICE
Masonic Temple Portland.

NOTICE

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between George W Leeson and John H Woodrum in the Drug Business on the corner of First and Alder sts in the city of Portland under the name and style of Geo W Leeson and Company, is this day dissolved by mutual consent Mr George W Leeson assumes all liabilities due by said firm or assumed by them on account of G W Leeson

G W LEESON
J H WOODRUM

Portland March 11 1874 mar14dlm

HARDWARE IRON AND STEEL.

JOHN R. FOSTER,
CORNER FRONT AND STARK STS.
Dealer in
Howe's Platform and Counter Scales.
THE BEST IN USE.
Shelf and Builders' Hardware.
MECHANICS' TOOLS,
TABLE AND POCKET CUTLERY
Miners's Goods,
Nails, Rope, Shovels, Anvils, Axes, Etc.
All of which are offered at the Lowest Rates.
He invites buyers to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere
Would invite particular attention to buyers of Builders Hardware and House Trimmings either at WHOLESALE OR RETAIL

Army Supplies.

OFFICE CHIEF COMMISSARY OF SUBSISTENCE, }
DEPARTMENT OF THE COLUMBIA }
PORTLAND Ogn March 20 1874 }

SEALED PROPOSALS IN TRIPLICATE WITH a copy of this advertisement attached to each will be received at this office and at the office of the Acting Commissary of Subsistence of each Post for which supplies are required until 12 M MONDAY APRIL 20th 1874 for the delivery of the following Subsistence Supplies viz—

FLOUR.

At PORTLAND OREGON, [illegible] Pounds
CAMP HARNEY OREGON [illegible] Pounds
FORT COLVILLE W T 14,846 Pounds
FORT KLAMATH OREGON [illegible] Pounds
FORT LAPWAI I T [illegible] Pounds
FORT BOISE I T [illegible] Pounds
FORT WALLA WALLA W T 142,[illegible] Pounds
FORT STEVENS OREGON 21 140 Pounds
FORT CAPE DISAPPOINTMENT 22,07 Pounds

BEEF ON THE BLOCK.

To troops and others who may receive subsistence at
PORTLAND OGN FORT KLAMATH OGN
FORT STEVENS OGN FORT LAPWAI I T
FORT COLVILLE W T FORT BOISE I T
CAMP HARNEY OGN. FT VANCOUVER, W T
CAMP SAN JUAN ISLAND W T
FORT CAPE DISAPPOINTMENT W T
FORT WALLA WALLA W T

BEEF CATTLE.

At PORTLAND OREGON, 28 368 Pounds

ISLAND BROWN SUGAR.

At PORTLAND, OREGON 46 121 Pounds

PURE CIDER VINEGAR.

At PORTLAND OREGON 5 863 Gallons

FINE LIVERPOOL SALT.

At PORTLAND, OREGON, 27 6[illegible] Pounds.

FAMILY FLOUR.

At PORTLAND OREGON 36 000 Pounds

Proposals must be accompanied by a proper guarantee signed by two responsible persons, stating that if a contract is awarded they will enter into bonds for the faithful fulfillment of the contract.

Bids for any part of the above will be considered the U S reserving the right to reject any or all bids

Bids must state the price in U S Currency written as well as expressed in figures

Envelopes should be endorsed Proposals for — at

Further information will be given at the office of each Acting Commissary of Subsistence of the post concerned and at this office

W H BOYLE
1st Lieut 21st Infantry A D C
mh21 Acting Chief C S Dep't of the Columbia

A Rare Chance for a Good Physician.
AS MY HEALTH IS IN SUCH A CONDITION that I cannot endure the exposure and hardship consequent upon country practice I offer to sell my residence situated in Hillsboro the County seat of Washington County Oregon upon the most reasonable terms with a good practice,thrown in the extent of which may be ascertained by addressing the undersigned or examining his books personally
The property consists of 2 lots 98x200 feet each enclosed with a picket fence and sidewalk in front located on Main st Hillsboro 1 block from the Court House with a good dwelling house, office and barn, also a never failing well of water bricked in and various fruit trees and vines growing thriftily All of which I will sell for $1 000 in cash, or one half cash and the remaining half on one year's credit with 1½ per cent. interest secured by mortgage Title guaranteed
I will also sell a No 1 Saddle Horse with Saddle, Bridle and Saddlebags together with Household Furniture If desired at a greatly reduced price
Hillsboro is situated in one of the most wealthy farming localities in the State and has a population of about 500 inhabitants and has a railroad running through the place There is but one practising Physician in the place, excepting my self and giving as much business as both can do
My object for selling is as above stated and for the purpose of commencing city practice Any good Physician wishing a good country practice cannot find a better place and will do well to call and see for himself or address me for any information Address as above
JOHN VITE M D
Hillsboro March 1874 mar11dlm

To Builders.

OFFICE OF THE LIGHT HOUSE ENGINEER }
Portland Oregon April [illegible] 1874 }

SEALED PROPOSALS ENDORSED PROPOSALS for Light House for Mouth of Columbia River Oregon will be received at this office until 12 o'clock on the 11th day of May 1874 on printed forms which with circulars plans specifications forms of contract and any desired information can be had on application by mail or in person to

N. MICHLER,
Major of Engineers U S A
Light House Engineer 13th District

Contractors take Notice!

THAT THE NEWAUKUM MILL AND WATER POWER CO will let to the lowest responsible bidder the contract to dig a DITCH about two miles in length the Ditch to be [illegible] feet [illegible] from the water line with a slope of 1 foot in [illegible]

Details and conditions with the profile and specifications can be examined at the office of the Company

Bids must be received at [illegible] the [illegible] day of May 1874 the Company reserves the right to reject any and all bids

C P TWISS Secy
[illegible] Newaukum [illegible] W T

NOTICE.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT [illegible] of the [illegible] until 12 o'clock M April [illegible] 1874 for the [illegible] of the Dredging [illegible] by the [illegible] Government

Separate bids will be received for [illegible] including the engine [illegible] other apparatus [illegible] thereto [illegible]

One DREDGER
One SNAG PULLER
Two SCOWS

Bids for all [illegible] will be considered

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved

[illegible] satisfactory security [illegible] furnished

[illegible] MORELAND
GEO W HOYT
Committee on River Improvements

PROF. J. H. MARTIN,
Astrologer & Clairvoyant.
WILL TELL YOU ALL YOU WISH TO KNOW and no humbug Call and you will be convinced For particulars write and send stamped envelope or call at my office N W cor Third and Morrison streets up stairs

MEDICAL.

TO THE UNFORTUNATE
NEW REMEDIES! NEW [illegible]
Dr. Gibbon's Dispensary,
623 KEARNEY NEAR COMMERCIAL
San Francisco Established 1854 for the treatment of Sexual and Seminal Diseases, [illegible] Gonorrhea Gleet, [illegible] Syphilis in all its forms, [illegible] Weakness Impotency etc. [illegible] Diseases of years standing [illegible] Ulcerated Legs [illegible] cd.
DR GIBBON has the pleasure of announcing he has returned from visiting the principal hospitals of Europe and has resumed practice at his Dispensary 623 Kearney street [illegible] San Francisco where his old [illegible] requiring his services may find him
The Doctor has spared no [illegible] seeking out new remedies and has [illegible] increased facilities for the alleviation of [illegible] suffering

Horrible Diseases.
How many thousands of persons both male and female are there who are suffering out an existence from the effects of secret diseases [illegible] broken down constitutions disqualifying [illegible] the happiness of marriage or the enjoyment [illegible] In this horrid situation [illegible] closes the scene Let parents [illegible] lend to those who are suffering with any horrid life destroying malady [illegible] cared for and cured before it be too late [illegible] Immediately to DR. GIBBON [illegible] made private diseases [illegible] study [illegible] portant to those who are afflicted [illegible] are interested in the welfare of [illegible] careful of the many [illegible] doctors [illegible] all cities publishing their bills [illegible] in a few days imposing upon the public the names of eminent physicians from [illegible] other places Be thereof careful and inquiry or you may fall into the hands of charlatans

Seminal Weakness.
Seminal Emission the consequence of self abuse This solitary vice or depraved sexual [illegible] practiced by the youth of both sexes to an unlimited extent producing with unerring certainty the following train of morbid symptoms unless combatted by scientific medical measures low countenance dark spots under the eyes the head ringing in the ears noise like rustling of leaves and rattling of chariots [illegible] the loins weakness of the limbs, confused vision blunted intellect, loss of confidence, [illegible] approaching strangers, a dislike to form acquaintances disposition to shun society [illegible] memory hectic flushes pimples and [illegible] tions about the face furred tongue, [illegible] coughs consumption night sweats [illegible] frequent insanity If relief be not obtained apply immediately either in person or by [illegible] have a cure effected by his new and [illegible] of treating this disease, which never fails [illegible] ing a quick and radical cure Dr G[illegible] Hundred Dollars to any person who will [illegible] isfactorily to him that he has cured of [illegible] plaint by either of the San Francisco [illegible]

Married Men.
Or those who contemplate marriage, while laboring under any of these fearful maladies, [illegible] forget the sacred responsibility [illegible] nor delay to obtain immediate [illegible]
DR GIBBON is responsible [illegible] will give patient a written instrument [illegible] fect a radical and permanent [illegible] charge.

Cured at Home
Persons at a distance may be CURED at home by addressing a letter to Dr Gibbon stating symptoms length of time the disease has [illegible] and have medicines promptly forwarded [illegible] damage and [illegible] with full and plain directions By [illegible] Dollars [illegible] office or through Wells Fargo & Co, a medicine will be forwarded to any [illegible] Union. All communications [illegible]

Caution to the Unfortunate
Beware of the San Francisco quacks [illegible] tenders who with bogus [illegible] certificates [illegible] the unwary Some of the [illegible] names are to be found in the daily [illegible] newspapers of San Francisco [illegible] tradesmen and became [illegible] trades. Some are [illegible] carriers Intelligence [illegible] way to avoid imposition [illegible] cost you nothing and [illegible] for as advertising physicians [illegible] ten are bogus there is [illegible] them until you know who and what the [illegible] Gibbon does not deceive people [illegible] titles certificates pretended [illegible] Dr Gibbon will satisfy persons who [illegible] office of his ability to treat diseases [illegible] to cure.
Address DR J F GIBBON [illegible] Kearney [illegible] ner Commercial San Francisco Post [illegible]
REMEMBER TO PUT BOX 957 [illegible] TER Consultations FREE
Correspondents will please inform [illegible] BON that they read his advertisement in the OREGONIAN

$1,000 REWA[illegible]
FOR A[illegible]
Incurable C[illegible]
DR. LE RICHA[illegible]
X GOLDEN BAL[illegible]
After ten years trial on this [illegible] proven itself the only cure [illegible] of diseases pronounced by medical [illegible] ers as incurable.
Dr. Le Richau's GOLDEN BALSAM
cures Chancres first and second [illegible] the Legs or Body Sore Ears Eyes, [illegible] Copper-colored Blotches Syphilitic [illegible] Diseased Scalp, and all primary forms of the disease known as Syphilis Price, [illegible] tle, or two for $9
Dr. Le Richau's GOLDEN BALSAM
cures Tertiary, Mercurial Syphilitic [illegible] tism Pains in the Bones Back of the [illegible] cerated Sore Throat Syphilitic [illegible] and Contracted Cords Stiffness of the [illegible] and eradicates all diseases from the [illegible] whether caused by indiscretion or [illegible] mercury—leaving the blood pure [illegible] Price $5 per bottle, or two for $[illegible]
Dr Le Richau's GOLDEN SPI[illegible]
tidote, for the Cure of Gonorrhea, G[illegible] tation, Gravel and all Urinary or [illegible] disarrangements Price $2.50 per bo[illegible]
Dr. Le Richau's GOLDEN SPA[illegible]
jection a wash and in [illegible] for [illegible] of Gonorrhea, Inflammation Gleet, [illegible] and all diseases of the kidneys and [illegible] Price $1 50 per bottle
Also Agents for DR. LE RICHAU'S [illegible] PILLS for Seminal Weakness, [illegible] sions Impotency and all diseases [illegible] Masturbation and excessive abuse [illegible] per bottle The genuine Golden [illegible] put up only in round bottles
On receipt of price these [illegible] will be sent to all parts of the country by [illegible] or mail securely packed and free from observation Sole Agents
C F RICHARDS & CO
Wholesale and Retail Druggists and Chemists S W cor Clay & [illegible] Streets San Francisco Cal.

SAN FRANCISCO.
N. W. SPAULDI[illegible]
Saw-Smithing & Repairing
ESTABLISHMENT,
17 and 19 Fremont street between Front and Battery
SAN FRANCISCO
N. W. SPAULDING'S PATENT FALSE [illegible] inserted in circular [illegible]
REPAIRING in all its [illegible] ming Re-Toothing straightening [illegible]
CIRCULAR SAWS of all [illegible] Muley Gang Buck Butcher [illegible] kinds together with a good [illegible] bours at lowest market rates
Cast Steel faced PLANE [illegible] ING CUTTERS always on hand [illegible] short notice
N. B.—Messrs KNAPP BURRELL [illegible] Commission Merchants [illegible] duly authorized Agents for O[illegible] Idaho
Orders sent through them [illegible] wise will be filled at same [illegible] rect

Coos Bay Coal Agency,
BERRYMAN & DOYLE,
DEALERS IN CUMBERLAND LEHIGH [illegible] all descriptions of
Foreign & Domestic Coals also Pig [illegible]
Bulkhead foot Pacific and Jackson [illegible]

Independent Champions Red Cross

THE FOLLOWING GRAND [illegible] Organization, Officers have [illegible] appointed [illegible] the I [illegible]

REV. A. C. McDOUGALL [illegible]
REV. R. C. HAWN
WM. HARMAN [illegible]

Persons desiring the [illegible] named officers [illegible] are requested to [illegible]

C E BURROWS, [illegible]

Salem Feb 26 1874

CITY TAXES

THE TAX ROLL FOR 1874 IS NOW IN [illegible] hands for collection [illegible] all Taxes [illegible] thereon must be paid at my office [illegible] within thirty days from this date or [illegible] be returned as delinquent.

J H [illegible]
Treasurer [illegible]

Portland March 1[illegible] 1874

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EASTERN NEWS.